

Cor. 14th and Broadway Oakland

A WEDDING.
The marriage of Miss Myrtle Mae Barney and Mr. John Joseph Cracknell will take place Wednesday evening, June 7, at the home of the bride, 1723 Filbert street. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Griffith Griffin, and will be attended by relatives and friends of the young people. They will make their home in this city after a brief honeymoon.

twenty-five minutes after eleven o'clock. When he was leaving the house and as his girl was saying

that he had replaced the men who had walked out with a new crew, and his complement of waiters would be full by this evening.

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street are enjoying an outing at Klamath Hot Springs.

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THE LATEST NEWS OF THE DAY=4:30 P. M.

WIFE COLLAPSES WHEN HUSBAND IS SENTENCED.

Dramatic Scene in Courtroom When Thug is Given Fifteen Years.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Coming from the bedside of her dying child, Mrs. Ortho Z. Mitchell reached the Hall of Justice this morning just in time to hear Superior Judge Lawlor sentence her husband to fifteen years in the penitentiary at San Quentin. She had hoped that, although guilty of a vicious highway robbery, he would be paroled. She started to leave the courtroom, and for an instant stood apparently dazed. Then the awful truth seemed to dawn upon her, and with a low moan she collapsed completely. The heartbroken child wife was unconscious when Deputy Sheriff Holland and Mynard carried her from the courtroom to the jury room.

Restoratives were administered to the stricken woman, but it was an hour before she regained consciousness. Her first words after she opened her eyes were:

HER BABY.

"Oh, where is my baby? They have taken him from me, and I know he must be dead."

Then it seemed to dawn upon her where she was. Her thoughts traveled from the dying child to the husband who will probably spend the greater portion of his life behind prison bars, and she fainted again. She was still unconscious at the noon hour and it was deemed advisable to send her to the hospital.

Ortho Z. Mitchell held up, robbed and attempted to murder John E. Webster, a clerk in the Anglo-California Bank at Fell and Ashbury streets on the night of March 22. He secured \$345 and a gold watch and chain from his victim, and that he did not kill him is due solely to the fact that it was his first attempt at robbery that his aim was defective through his extreme nervousness, and his bullet went wide of its mark.

FIRE TO KILL.

Webster lives near the scene of the crime and was about to enter his gate when Mitchell stepped out of the shadow of a fence and demanded his gold. Mr. Webster gave up his money and watch and was pleading with the robber for the return of his timepiece when a passing car frightened Mitchell and he slipped his revolver in his pocket. When the gun was put out of sight Webster grappled with him and threw him to the pavement. It was then Mitchell took his gun out of his pocket and fired a shot at his victim.

Attracted by the shooting Webster's father came out of the house to his son's assistance and the crew of the passing car returned to the scene. They bound Mitchell hand and foot with strong cords and had him taken fast when the police arrived and took him into custody.

At the City Prison Mitchell made no attempt to deny the crime, but insisted that he was driven to desperation by his starving wife and baby. He was out of employment, could see-

ure no more work, and there seemed nothing left for him but a life of crime. He took to the highways, and was captured in his first crime.

Mrs. Mitchell, a bride of little over a year, was living at 748 Polson street at the time of the robbery, and bore out her husband's statement in its entirety, and a number of people interceded with the court on behalf of the prisoner. They asked that he be given the benefit of the probation law, but Judge Lawlor said he could see nothing in extenuation for the commission of such a crime. He said that when robbers came before him they must expect to receive punishment that would deter others from the commission of like offenses.

PRISONER SMILED.

Mitchell smiled when sentenced to fifteen years in San Quentin, and even the collapse of his young wife did not seem to affect him. Before his return to prison he ventured the statement to his fellows who were awaiting sentence that he was playing in pretty good luck.

Mrs. Mitchell said this morning that she did not know what her plans for the future would be. Her baby is being cared for at the home maintained by the Volunteers of America, and when he recovers, if he ever does, child and mother will probably return to Texas, where Mitchell's parents reside.

Judge Lawlor has granted Mitchell permission to visit the sick child before being taken to the penitentiary. He will be taken to the hospital by a deputy sheriff tomorrow morning and his wife will meet him there. The Court was advised this afternoon that there was slight chance for the recovery of the little one.

LEAVES MONEY TO CHARITY

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—The late Mrs. Blennia Hecht, widow of Isaac Hecht, left many bequests to charity by the terms of her will filed for probate today in the Superior Court by her son and executor, Dr. A. Hecht.

The estate, which is valued at "over \$10,000," is to be divided, share and share alike, among the children after the sums given to charity have been paid. The children are Helen Hecht, Bert R. Hecht, Mrs. Florence Fries, Elsie Hecht, and Sumner L. Hecht; all but the last named, who lives in Boston, reside in this city.

Under the terms of the will, \$5,000 is left to the Pacific Orphan Asylum Home for Hebrews, and \$500 each to the Eureka Benevolent Society, the Children's Hospital, San Francisco Polytechnic, 410 Ellis street; Allgemeiner Deutscher Frauen Verein and the California Woman's Hospital.

The will is in the handwriting of the deceased. She provided that her son Sumner L. Hecht should act with his brother as co-executor, but he has declined.

WINS LATONIA DERBY.

CINCINNATI, June 3.—The Foreman wins Latonia Derby.

MURDER AT HIS DUTY IS PLAIN REDDING

Officers Investigating a Mysterious Case in the North.

REDDING, June 3.—The dead body of a well dressed unknown man was found in New York Gulch, near Whiskey Town, today. His feet were dangling in the water of a creek. His coat and vest were found a hundred yards away. There is evidence of a murder, the body afterwards being dragged to the creek. The Coroner is now investigating.

WHAT THEY FOUND IN BIG MOUND

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., June 3.—Notable discoveries of relics of the Mound Builders have been made by N. D. McDermott near Montezuma, on the Illinois river. In a mound eighty feet high he excavated many implements of war, with fully 1,500 discs of flint, each about 3x3 inches in size.

KNIGHTS MEET IN SOUTH

LOS ANGELES, June 3.—The streets and business buildings of this city are being decorated in honor of the Knights of Columbus, whose national convention will assemble here next week. The advance guard of the Chicago delegation has arrived and the remainder of the Illinois Knights are due tomorrow morning. Over 1,200 Knights from San Francisco, accompanied by the League of the Cross Band, are expected tonight.

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

SACRAMENTO, June 3.—The State Board of Education is in session today and fixed the price of the children's primer at twenty-five cents and the second reader at thirty-five cents. These figures represent the cost at Sacramento.

President C. C. Van Liew was temporarily appointed to membership on the State Text Book Committee during the illness of Dr. Elmer E. Brown of the State University.

SONORA, June 3.—A large rock fell from the overhanging wall in the Republican mine today, instantly killing William G. Howe, a miner. The body of the victim was crushed to a pulp. A fellow miner standing but three feet from Howe escaped injury.

United States Marshal Shine, one of the owners of the mine, was visiting it at the time of the accident.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 3.—General H. V. Boynton, president of the Chickamauga Park Commission, died here today. He suffered from a complication of diseases.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—Under the rules of war, it is said at the Navy Department, Admiral Train's duty is plain. He will first care for the wounded, taking them ashore if necessary, and he will probably quarter the officers at the American Naval Hospital at Cavite, and when the capacity of that institution is taxed the Philippine Government probably will be called on to offer facilities for the wounded men.

Regarding the disposal of the vessels, it is generally expected that the Russian Admiral, as soon as he can communicate with his Government, will ask permission to intern his ships at Manila. The department has every confidence in the ability of Admiral Train to see to it that every detail of international law will be observed.

MESTAYER GIVEN A DIVORCE

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—The tendency to look upon the cup when it is red by Victory Bateman led to the divorce from her husband, Harry Mestayer, of the Majestic and Liberty stock companies.

Judge Trout granted him an interlocutory decree on the grounds of intemperance and extreme cruelty. Mr. Mestayer told how he was married in 1900 at Cumberland, Md.; of how shortly after he found out that his wife was addicted to drink, and of how he becoming intoxicated compelled them to break contracts and give up engagements.

George Pauncefote testified to having attended the couple a supper one night after the performance at which Miss Bateman, her stage name, so far forgot herself as to attack her husband, and "he took the count at the second blow."

Early O'Neil told of giving Miss Bateman notice to leave the company she was with in Montreal because of her continual intemperance. The defendant put in no defense and Judge Trout granted the decree as stated.

SILVER BELL FOR BATTLESHIP

NORFOLK, Virginia, June 3.—A beautiful silver bell, the gift of the people of the State of Missouri, was presented to the battleship Missouri today as the vessel lay at anchor in Hampton Roads. The presentation was made by Miss Julie Cabanne, a descendant of the founder of the city of St. Louis.

RAISIN GROWERS GAIN POINT

FRESNO, June 3.—The new raisin growers company has secured a big point after the conference with the co-operative packing companies in arriving at an amicable agreement by which the growers' company will control ten of the fourteen packing houses.

The Selma house remains to be dealt with separately and there are three other outside houses which the growers expect to secure. Thus are provided ample packing facilities for the coming year and solved the packing problem which was the greatest of all confronting the growers.

The co-operative houses, controlled by the growers, will form the nucleus for the future plans of the company and if they had been secured by the packers at this critical stage the blow would have been a serious one for the infant organization of the growers.

The negotiations turned on the basis of purchase, a lease not being satisfactory for various reasons. It was resolved that the company buy the co-operative houses upon a valuation to be fixed by two appraisers and arbitrator to be chosen if they cannot agree. The company will be allowed until next February 1st, which will be after the marketing of the coming crop, interest at 8 per cent on the appraised value to be paid from the time of possession until the price is paid.

YOUNG COUPLE TO WED

This afternoon Deputy County Clerk Andy Johnson issued a marriage license for John Anderson, aged 19, and Nellie E. Lee, aged 17. The couple appeared at the County Clerk's office and obtained the license with the consent of their parents. They stated that they would go before Justice of the Peace Samuel this afternoon.

TENDERS RESIGNATION.

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—Rolla M. Dance, secretary of the Civil Service Board, today at the request of Mayor Weaver tendered his resignation. Dance is a close friend of James P. McNicol, one of the Republican leaders of Philadelphia.

CREW IS DROWNED

British Warship Caesar Runs Down Ship at Sea.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—The Merchants' Exchange received advices from London today to the effect that the British ship Afghanistan, from Hamburg for San Diego, has been in collision with the British man-of-war Caesar, the former sinking with 23 of her crew. The Caesar has put into Dungeness.

BOARD OF TRADE PROGRESSIVE

ELECTS NEW TREASURER AND AIMS TO ENTERTAIN IDAHO EDITORS.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Oakland Board of Trade last evening several matters of general interest were transacted. W. H. Buchholz of the Central Bank was elected treasurer of the board, vice M. J. Keller, resigned.

Editors coming. The board voted to co-operate with other organizations in the entertainment of the Idaho State Press Association on the occasion of their visit to this city about July 20. The party will consist of about fifty members.

It was voted to accept, through the press, the invitation of the West End Alameda Improvement Association to attend the water carnival in Alameda on the evening of July 4. This invitation is extended not alone to the members of the Board of Trade, but to all citizens of Oakland.

A communication was received from Victor H. Henderson thanking the Board of Trade for its endeavors in familiarizing the members of the University Park Commission with the advantages of Alameda county as the location for the farm. The directors, anxious to further the interest of the children of the public schools in beautifying the vacant lots throughout the city, agreed to offer as individual prizes for the best garden a handsome set of garden tools for each school competing, the arrangements for the awarding of the prizes to be left to Miss Chapman, teacher of nature study in the public schools.

MUST APPEAR IN COURT

JUDGE HART WANTS EMMONS AND WRIGHT TO SHOW THEMSELVES.

SACRAMENTO, June 3.—Judge Hart announced from the bench in the Superior Court today that the court had not received replies to briefs in the cases of J. Emmons and Eli Wright, the State Senators indicted for bribery. The court announced that the men must be present one week from today, at which time the cases for the trial will be set.

The court announced that the attorney for former Senator French, who is also charged with bribery, has been granted an additional ten days' time in which to file his brief.

COWS AT U. OF C. ARE KILLED

BERKELEY, June 3.—Health Officer Amehardt, after applying the tuberculin test to the cows of the University Dairy, condemned them, and they were killed this morning.

All other dairies in Berkeley are to be similarly examined. George E. Fisher, chief of the Animal Industry Station of San Francisco, will assist in the work.

CORONER INVESTIGATES.

BERKELEY, June 3.—Coroner Mehrmann came to Berkeley today to investigate the death of Jen Man, a Chinese vegetable man who died yesterday afternoon. He died as his friends were taking him to San Francisco. He fell off his vegetable wagon last Thursday, and his skull is supposed to have been fractured. A Chinese physician from San Francisco was sent for and it was decided to remove the injured man to the bay. He died on the road and the coroner's investigation will be made next Monday.

NEW COMPANY.

Articles of incorporation of the Roberts Water Heater Company were filed with the County Clerk today. The directors are W. H. Roberts, J. P. Twyman and W. F. Neal of this city. The capital stock is \$50,000 and is divided into shares of the par value of \$1 each.

PRINCETON WINS.

NEW HAVEN, June 3.—The first inter-collegiate baseball game between the Princeton and Yale teams, was won by Princeton this afternoon, with a score of 11 to 2.

ANSWERS CHARGES

Letter From Mr. Hyde to Mr. Frick is Made Public.

NEW YORK, June 3.—A copy of a letter from Mr. Hyde to Mr. Frick, dated May 18, was here given out in answer to the charges that the following purchases had been made at Mr. Hyde's instance without consultation with Mr. Alexander or other officers of the Equitable Society:

The purchase of \$100,000 par value of the bonds of the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company.

The purchase of 1000 shares of the Hibernia Bank and Trust Company of New Orleans.

The purchase of \$1,780,000 preferred stock of the Union Pacific Railway Company.

In his answer, Mr. Hyde quotes from the secretary's record in regard to these transactions and says:

"You will note that the purchases of the Coney Island and Brooklyn stock were made in seven installments; that the first purchase was made while I was abroad; that all the purchases were approved by the board of directors, and that on six of the seven occasions when they were approved Mr. Alexander is recorded as having been present and as having voted approvingly of the purchases."

"The society has for many years prior to my connection with it been interested in the securities of the Coney Island Company. The securities in question are of a very high order."

THE STOCK. "The entire issue of debentures purchased was limited to \$100,000. It was made to cover the cost of certain improvements. The stock of the company now pays and has for many years paid an annual dividend of 10 per cent. The debentures in question have recently been taken up out of an issue of consolidated bonds."

"The purchases of the Hibernia Bank and Trust Company shares were made in five installments, extending from January 19, 1903, to and including September 14, 1903. They were approved at four meetings of the finance committee. Mr. J. W. Alexander being present and voting in favor of the purchases at least three of these meetings."

"No consideration of the subject of I consulted with Mr. Valentine P. Snyder, who advised that it would be wise to secure the stock immediately by purchase. I thereupon saw Mr. Alexander, explained the transaction to him, and he agreed and secured his approval of the proposed purchases."

"The cost of the stock ranged from \$4.50 to \$5. I understand that it is now selling at over \$6 and pays an annual dividend of 10 per cent."

"The purchases of Union Pacific preferred stock were three in number."

"Mr. Alexander in his letter to you of May 18 makes the following extraordinary statement with respect to these transactions:

"These purchases were made without prior consideration by the executive committee and without my knowledge. I am informed that Mr. Hyde personally was a member of the syndicate. Upon inquiry since, I understand that this stock held by the Equitable is the proportionate amount of stock subscribed for under the syndicate agreement of Mr. Hyde individually."

TOGO TELLS OF DEFEATED SHIPS

TOKIO, June 3.—Admiral Togo reports that the Russian special service steamers and transports sunk by the Japanese May 27 were the auxiliary steamer Ural, the transports Kamakura and Irissim, and one towing vessel used to assist in coaling at sea and believed to have been named the Russ.

"The Russian vessels present in the recent battle which were not sunk or captured and which are unaccounted for, are," Togo's report adds, "the protected cruisers Oleg, Aurora, Izumrud and Almaz, three transports, two torpedo boat destroyers and one towboat. During the battle the Oleg and Aurora were within range of our third and fourth squadrons and were on fire. They may have escaped, but it will take time to restore their fighting power."

According to despatches from St. Petersburg, the Izumrud was blown up by her commander, after having run on a reef in Vladivostok Bay. The Almaz reached Vladivostok early in the week, and the Oleg, Aurora and Jemchug arrived at Manila today.

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FOOTPAD SENTENCED FOR LIFE

"Red Shirt" Wilson Goes to San Quentin For Crimes.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3.—Frank Wilson, alias "Red Shirt" Wilson, rated as one of the most desperate footpads in the country, was sentenced to San Quentin for life by Superior Judge Lawlor this morning.

Wilson held a C. Aschen on the 22d of February; and after brutally beating him over the head with a revolver, relieved him of a diamond locket valued at \$150 and 20 cents in cash. The crime was committed on Page street, between Fell and Steiner streets, and Detective Matheson captured the criminal not far from the scene of his crime. Wilson denied his guilt, but was positively identified by his victims and when arraigned in court a long list of prior convictions were placed against him.

In passing sentence this morning Judge Lawlor said that Wilson was a man who in his short life had served twenty-two years for robberies in different parts of the State and there was now no chance of reformation. It was best for society that such men be put out of the way for all time.

On the fact that Wilson was even a bad man when in prison, and for his infractions of prison rules at the Polson penitentiary had always been known as one of the "red shirt" men.

William B. Crocker, a well known banker, who has entered a plea of guilty, was given a life sentence at San Quentin. His companion in crime, Leslie Quinn, who has entered a plea of guilty, was given a life sentence at San Quentin. An effort will be made by his friends to have him admitted to probation or sent to one of the State reformatories.

DR. B. K. KNIGHT PASSES AWAY

FORMER SENATOR AND VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR CLOSING ACTIVE CAREER.

SANTA CRUZ, June 3.—Dr. Benjamin K. Knight, former State Senator and for many years a prominent citizen of this county, died yesterday after a long illness brought on by the grip. Dr. Knight was physician for the South Pacific Coast and Southern Pacific railroads for many years. He was born in Mansfield, Connecticut, sixty-eight years ago, but came to Santa Cruz in 1883. He was a member of the joint Senate on the Democratic ticket for Santa Cruz, Monterey and San Benito counties in the Legislature of 1883. After several days' fruitless balloting for president of that body without securing a election, they resubmitted the question, and a favorable opinion of Dr. Knight elected him to that exalted position.

Dr. Knight fought in the Northern army during the Civil War, seeing service on the islands off the South Carolina coast. Dr. Knight's death is deeply regretted in this city, where he was a practicing physician for thirty years. He was the owner of Knight's Opera House here. Of late years he had not taken any active part in public life. He leaves a widow and two daughters, Mrs. Edith Dodge and Mrs. Ida Stack, the latter now traveling in Europe, and one son, Benjamin K. Knight, who is a prominent lawyer and District Attorney of this county.

WOMEN ARE WELL ENTERTAINED

VALLEJO, June 3.—The Women's Improvement Club of this city entertained today 300 members of the Napa, Sonoma, St. Helena, Calistoga and Brown's Valley Women's Improvement clubs. The visitors arrived at ten o'clock this morning and were given a reception by Mrs. B. H. McCallis at the commandant's residence on Mare Island.

BORN.

FAXTON—In East Oakland, May 28, 1905, the wife of Leo J. Faxton, a daughter.

Too Late for Classification

IMPORTANT NOTICE

For full and complete list of Want Ads see pages 21, 22 and 23.

FOR SALE—Colonial cottage, 8 rooms and bath, in beautiful neighborhood, walking distance to business center, near Adams and 16th street stations; sunny side of street; modern, nearly new. Will sell for \$10,000.00. Price reasonable. Must be seen to be appreciated. 1515 Adeline street.

UPPER corner flat, 6 rooms, bath; yard; newly tiled and papered; rent \$16.00. Car, Washington and East street; 2 blocks from Fruitvale Station.

THREE rooms for housekeeping; bath and laundry; no children. 509 22d st.

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WOMAN'S PAGE

IF YOU WERE YOUR WIFE
NOW WHAT WOULD YOU DO?

A BOY AND A GIRL

BY BETTY MARTIN.

Jimmie Tallock hated girls, but then, Jimmie was only eight years old when he came to the conclusion that he was a representative of a superior sex, so his idiosyncrasy was pardonable one, especially since he had imbibed his sentiments from unconscious imitation of his father.

Jimmie had gone to school two years before he began, all unknown to himself, to experience a change of heart. In all the two years' time he had barely spoken to any of the girls, who sat primly in rows at their desks on the other side of the room.

Once, indeed, he had tripped over freckled-faced Alice Marnet, who had made a face at him when he had spelled her down in class on the word "sugar," which she persisted in spelling with an "h," and on another occasion he had slyly yanked another girl's ribbon off her shining braids and daubed it with ink because she had done an example which was beyond his powers of comprehension.

For both these digressions from law and order, Jimmie was promptly felled by the teacher, and he had thereafter adopted the policy of ignoring girls altogether, until the advent of Marguerite Hollis awakened his interest. Exactly why she attracted him Jimmie couldn't have told, but some way his eyes often wandered over in her direction, though she, in turn, never deigned him so much as a glance. Indeed, he overheard her once refer to him as that "dirty little Tallock boy." Jimmie turned red in the face and balled inwardly when she made this remark, after which it dawned on him that his fingernails and knuckles were not exactly up to the standards of polite society, but of this he said not a word, though the next morning he scoured so vigorously at the offending members that portions of the skin protested and came off with the grime.

Jimmie was an ardent ball player, but after Marguerite came, he suddenly lost interest in the game, and resigned his leadership. After this he became pensive, and at recess would perch himself up on top of the fence which marked the dividing line between the boys' and girls' playgrounds. He did this ostensibly to catch a better view of the ball game, but in reality that he might discover a passing glimpse of Marguerite as she played "Pussy wants a corner," or "King Charles and his men," with the other girls.

Once, when she came near the neutral grounds suggested by the fence, Jimmie slipped off his vantage ground and applied his eye to a knot-hole in the fence, whence Marguerite quickly discovered him.

"Hello!" ventured he, insinuatingly.

"Go 'way, you horrid thing," replied she, "my papa don't allow me to play with boys."

This frank avowal disconcerted Jimmie, who so far forgot his dignity as to stick out his tongue.

Marguerite promptly retaliated by stooping down and gathering a handful of sand which she threw with all her might at the protruding member before Jimmie had time to withdraw it. This taught him a lesson which he never forgot, and after that he sedulously avoided the knot-hole, though he could not banish Marguerite from his heart.

Once or twice he ventured a passing remark to her, but they apparently fell on deaf ears, though she silently tossed her curls and elevated her chin, and Jimmie could have sworn that he saw disdain in her eyes. The water hydrants were situated at the end of the yard, one on each side of the fence, together with their respective tin drinking cups, and Marguerite, who was a thirsty little creature, had acquired a way of going there during school hours to wet her parched lips.

Jimmie observed this predilection on her part, and it developed in him unheard of qualities of craft. No sooner did Marguerite start down for her drink on the girls' side, than Jimmie would enter the well-worn path on the boys' side.

The two always drank in silence. Marguerite, as usual, apparently oblivious of her adorer's presence, though he imbibed with eyes rolled over the edge of the cup, and great gulping sounds in order to attract her notice.

These attentions finally got on Marguerite's nerves, and suddenly, one morning, without warning, she tossed the contents of a full cup right over the dividing line into Jimmie's face, and silently started in her most dignified manner for the school house.

Jimmie was astonished at this unexpected salutation, and for the moment it took his breath away, but on second reflection, he was delighted, for it demonstrated that his attentions had not been unobserved.

From that moment he was her slave, and by the time both were ready to graduate, they had become the best of chums, and when it was decided that Jimmie should leave San Felipe and take a course at the University of California, he bestowed upon Marguerite his choicest treasure, a book of Byron's poems, and, aided by the passionate lines therein, made avowal of his own love and undying constancy.

Marguerite did not say him nay, but promised to wait until he would be graduated, when he would come back to her a full-fledged mining engineer and help in the development of her father's mine up on the side of Bald Mountain, where pay dirt had long been a thing of the past.

Letters fast and plentiful were at first interchanged by the lovers. With the passing months, the periods between these confidences grew longer, and finally ceased.

Jimmie never came back home on his vacations, for he was forging his own way through the university, and spent this portion of the year among the fruit orchards of Santa Clara county.

There it was that the man met that other woman—she who succeeded in dimming the heart picture of Marguerite, and by her charms wooed him from his constancy to the old love up among the mountains.

He married her there, with the flavor of the orchards in his nostrils, and built himself wealth and a name.

Marguerite made never a sign as time brought its message, but though admirers were not lacking, she would none of them, and remained apparently the same Marguerite Hollis as of old, though graver and more dignified, carrying deep in her heart a grave of buried love and wounded pride.

Every winter she visited San Francisco, and once at the opera she saw him, handsomer and more compelling than of old. And by his side sat the woman of his choice.

The next morning Marguerite elected to go shopping, after a sleepless night, tormented by memories of days long past, and then a fateful thing happened.

On the corner of Geary and Market streets the three met, face to face.

The man took a step backward, as though confronted by a vision. As he did so, a swift-running automobile brushed by, and a second later he had fallen against the hard curbing of the sidewalk.

Marguerite sprang forward and in an instant her arms enfolded him, while the other woman stood white and dazed with the suddenness of it, and not understanding.

The crowd surged about them, but Marguerite forgot all—the woman beside her—the years with their outcome—everything, but that he was in her arms. Once he opened his eyes, and his lips moved. She bent to catch the words.

"Marguerite," came faintly from his lips, "Marguerite, forgive—"

"Lift him gently into the carriage," sounded the light, silvery tones of the other woman, who had recovered her composure, and now spoke in tones of unmistakable authority. "I think he is only stunned. Thank you so much for your assistance," said she, with charming grace, directing her speech to Marguerite, "and, Goodby. To the Fairmount, driver!"

On Marguerite's return home after that eventful visit, she found waiting for her a letter addressed in the handwriting she knew so well. She gazed at it long and hesitatingly, while contending emotions fought for supremacy. Once her hand started to break the seal, but she drew it back quickly, as though the touch stung her.

"No!" exclaimed she, tossing the message into the glowing coals of the grate, "this is the end."

BETTY MARTIN.

THIS IS THE "SYLPH BEND" IT'S THE LATEST THING FROM THE OTHER SIDE OF THE POND.

Makes the Grecian Bend
of Former Years Look
Like a Straight Line.

The Kangaroo Walk has been superseded by the Sylph Bend, which makes the old Grecian Bend look like a straight line. A dancer in "My Lady Nicotine," in London, "La Sylphe," is the originator of the Sylph Bend, and Miss Dorothy Bertrand is the first to adopt it in this country.

"La Sylphe" is billed as a "sinuous sensation." Which is no idle jest. She is one of the features of the stage in the English metropolis, but Miss Bertrand avers that there are numerous girls in the New York choruses who are as justly entitled to recognition for perfection of the female form as is "La Sylphe."

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Jimmie Tullock hated girls, but then, Jimmie was only eight years old when he came to the conclusion that he was a representative of a superior sex, so his idiosyncrasy was pardonable one, especially since he had imbibed his sentiments from unconscious imitation of his father.

Jimmie had gone to school two years before he began, all unknown to himself, to experience a change of heart. In all the two years' time he had barely spoken to any of the girls, who sat primly in rows at their desks on the other side of the room.

Once, indeed, he had tripped up freckled-faced Alice Marnet, who had made a face at him when he had spelled her down in class on the word "sugar," which she persisted in spelling with an "h," and on another occasion he had slyly yanked another girl's ribbon off her shining braids and daubed it with ink because she had done an example which was beyond his powers of comprehension.

For both these digressions from law and order, Jimmie was promptly ferried by the teacher, and he had thereafter adopted the policy of ignoring girls altogether, until the advent of Marguerite Hollis awakened his interest. Exactly why she attracted him Jimmie couldn't have told, but some way his eyes often wandered over in her direction, though she, in turn, never deigned him so much as a glance. Indeed, he overheard her once refer to him as that "dirty little Tullock boy." Jimmie turned red in the face and balled inwardly when she made this remark, after which it dawned on him that his fingernails and knuckles were not exactly up to the standards of polite society, but of this he said not a word, though the next morning he scoured so vigorously at the offending members that portions of the skin protested and came off with the grime.

Jimmie was an ardent ball player, but after Marguerite came, he suddenly lost interest in the game, and resigned his leadership. After this he became pensive, and at recess would perch himself up on top of the fence which marked the dividing line between the boys' and girls' playgrounds. He did this ostensibly to catch a better view of the ball game, but in reality that he might discover a passing glimpse of Marguerite as she played "Pussy wants a corner," or "King Charles and his men," with the other girls.

Once, when she came near the neutral grounds suggested by the fence, Jimmie slipped off his vantage ground and applied his eye to a knot-hole in the fence, whence Marguerite quickly discovered him.

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"Go 'way, you horrid thing," replied she, "my papa don't allow me to play with boys."

This frank avowal disconcerted Jimmie, who so far forgot his dignity as to stick out his tongue.

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The girl with a beautiful coiffure may nowadays be wearing not only a switch to fill out her slender locks, but a few little puffs to fill in the spaces behind her ears and a couple of fine large curls to give the effect over the shoulder and an entire "transformation" to hide her forehead and her front bangs.

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Here is a receipt for youth, puffam: Put a transformation over a nice-sized rat, pin a switch and a few pads on at the back, add a Janice curl and cover the whole with a fine hair net. Here is the cost of the average woman's coiffure:

Switch	\$40.00
Transformation	25.00
Puffs	10.00
Curls	10.00
Rat	1.00
Net25
Yearly hair-dressing bill	50.00
Total	\$130.25

other homes in different places in the United States as well as abroad.

The first four years of his self-imposed task Mr. Critton spent in night missionary work in the slums, and when his health broke down and he was sent abroad to recruit, he studied the condition of social outcasts in foreign cities. The next three years he spent on the Pacific Coast, everywhere he was known as the friend of unfortunate girls. Some years ago the "homes" were consolidated into a national organization, and because of its practical benefits it has government charter and an appropriation of the doors of the homes are open day and night and the girls who feel the need of their help come of their own accord. The homes are pleasant ones; the inmates are all taught to work, each girl being retained for a year or eighteen months and serving a term of three months each in the laundry, kitchen, sewing-room and nursery. Daily readings from the Bible, prayers and appeals to what is best in each girl are not wanting, and all influences that can strengthen and aid are brought to bear on their natures. In order to make it as easy as possible to be good after leaving the homes, girls are often transferred to other "homes" remote from their old haunts, that none may know and reproach them. More than 60 per cent of those who enter are reformed and begin life afresh, many as trained servants, many as clerks and shop girls. Some marry well and lead comfortable lives, and the results are such as to make Mr. Critton feel that his twenty years' service and his fortune have been wisely spent, and the memorials to his only daughter, who died when a little child, are beautiful. There is a daily average of 300 girls and 600 babies to

be clothed, fed, and in the case of the girls, taught. It is a great work.

THE AMERICAN VAGABOND.

Uncle's was spent in a motor car. He beat the rest of the club by far. He's all upset from the awful jar. But he beat the record.

Father took up the walking craze. He went through Europe in forty days. He had no time for sights, he says. But he beat the record.

Upon Lake George, that lovely spot, Brother canoed, and left the lot—He don't know whether it's nice or not. But he beat the record.

Up the Rhine with her Vassar crew, Sister pulled, and they fairly flew. She didn't get time to see Pike's Peak. But they beat the record.

And where went? Oh, I went down That Darabie blue, of great renown, I never stopped at a single town. But I beat the record.

—Crisler (Pa.) Republican.

TEST OF COMPANIONSHIP
"Is it true that you and Elligina no longer speak?"

"Yes. He is one of those hopelessly disagreeable people. He insisted on calling attention to how much better time his dollar watch keeps than my \$200 chronometer."—Washington Star.

Women may dress for the benefit of men, but their clothes are seldom noticed except by other women.

THIS BOY HAS SLEPT FOR FIFTY-EIGHT DAYS.

NEW YORK, June 3.—A peculiar case of coma accompanying cerebral meningitis is reported in Yonkers, where Joseph Canopi, the six-year-old son of a contractor, has slept fifty-eight days. All efforts to arouse him have failed, but the doctors believe that if he survives a few days more they will succeed in dissolving a blood clot on the brain and save him.

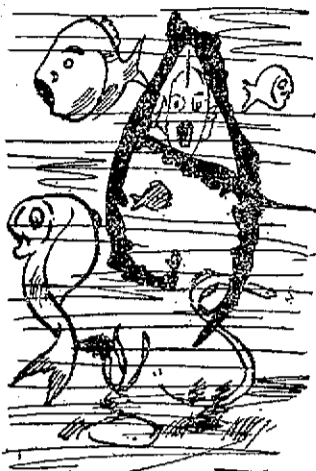
The boy fell ill directly after he had eaten a hearty supper. That night he lapsed into unconsciousness and has remained so ever since. Meantime his right eye has gone blind, and he has been fed through a tube.

His spine has been covered with an ice coil and applications are constantly made to the head. The lad's weight has fallen from 67 to 25 pounds.

UNDER THE BAY OF SAN FRANCISCO

Will Commuters Travel With the Speed of Lightning Beneath the Waves Sealed in an Air-Tight Tube?

Colonel John H. Pierce of Oakland Plans for Pneumatic Railway.



All the Hearst papers on May 7th published a page devoted to a rapid transit, described by Jules Verne as thirty miles a minute. Remember, thirty miles an hour is high railway speed.

That morning without a doubt many a millionaire with stocks, bonds, franchises and other railroad papers filling his vaults, gasped and turned pale, well knowing that Verne's novels were built on the solid masonry of fact.

Nor was the railway man alone, for this pneumatic tube is a threatened invasion of the sea, as well as the land, and the owners of steamship lines began guessing as to the date when steam would give back to wind all she had won and more.

The wish is father to the thought and quickly the comforting assurance of the power of untold billions of wealth gave courage, and a strong determination to keep down the annihilating force, and ways and means were devised.

But the young man in the flush of victory, with money and power coming from mine and mill and mart,

rushed through the lines, and turned them over to his chief engineer with orders to report, and mentally resolving to enter the transportation business if this new wonder had solid basis—he turned to the duties of the day.

The patriot statesman thought of Jay Goulds, railway attorney, A. J. Poppleton, and his famous words, "Greed, born of aggregated capital threatens to destroy our liberties and snatch from the brow of the Republic the diadem of sovereignty," and he said: "Roosevelt, almost alone, stands between us and this fear becoming a fact, but should the new power enter the lists with this speed, our railway and steamship kings would be dethroned. It may be for the best."

"SHOW ME."

The ordinary individual, if he gave a thought beyond admiration for the catchy cut covering half a page, devoted to the great author whose writings he read, and then he threw aside the page, remarking, "Ah, well, it may be, but I am from Missouri!" and Jules Verne must come back from the dead and show me."

The inventor, however, is not dead, like Jules Verne. Colonel John H. Pierce is very much alive, and not in Boston, but here, and our readers have seen the gentleman repeatedly; in fact, he is on the streets of Oakland daily. His home is at 410 Walsworth avenue, a colonial mansion, which he owns, along with other property, mining stock, etc., and yet the Colonel is a hard worker, gathering more subscription business for THE TRIBUNE, on which he is employed, than any other man in his department.

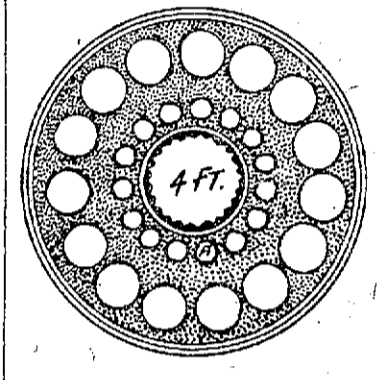
Outside of his own family no one knows that he, aided by his son, an experienced engineer and inventor, in government employ, is now planning how he may connect San Francisco and Oakland by his tubes, and at the same

time show Missourians and the rest of the world, that his large pneumatic tubes are greatly superior to the small ones in every way, and that it is time to establish something vastly cheaper and better than the present systems of transportation.

The surpassing power latent in the air was amply demonstrated no longer ago than May 10th, when 190 people were killed in the Snyder tornado. A double railway wreck complicated by the explosion of a car load of dynamite occurred at Harrisburg on the same day, but this terrible explosive, aided by the wrecks, killed twenty persons only, although a city was damaged.

EARLY EXPERIMENTS.

Colonel Pierce began the study of the air when his life depended on it, for he is one of the old school of hydrogen-gas-balloon voyaging aeronauts, and at Stanton, Nebraska, he personally experienced the power of

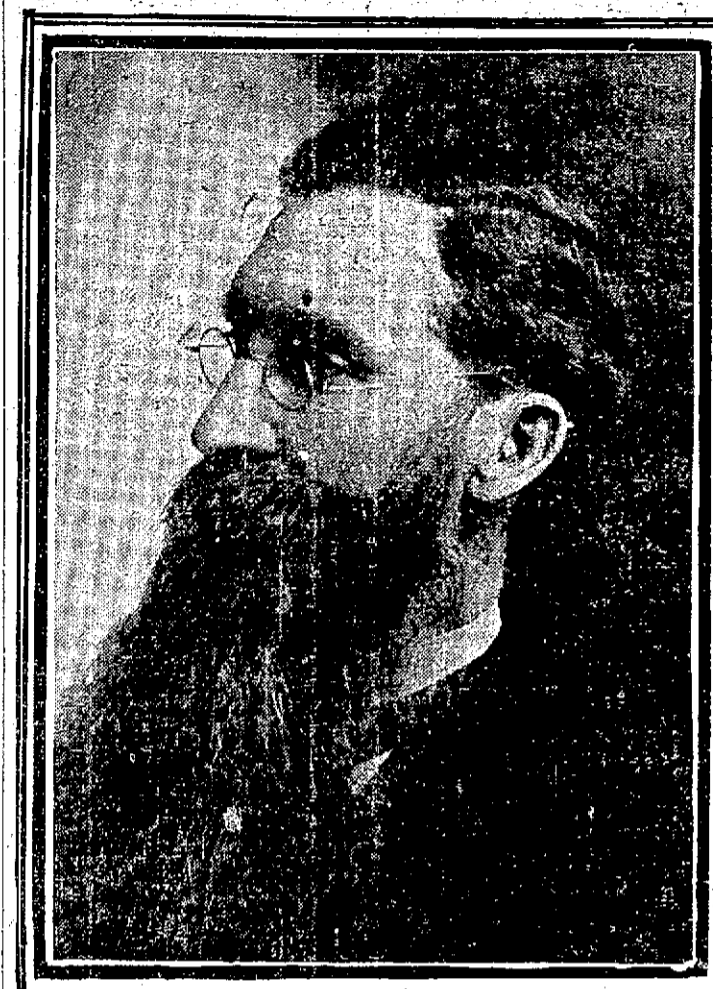


THE TUBE AND CABLES.

the air, being in a hotel that turned turtle and collapsed under the pressure of a tornado.

He witnessed the destruction of the all-iron Union Pacific bridge at Omaha by the business end of a storm.

Colonel Pierce claims for his speed 1000 miles an hour; Jules Verne ex-



COLONEL JOHN H. PIERCE, WHO PLANS TO CONNECT OAKLAND AND SAN FRANCISCO WITH A PNEUMATIC TUBE IN WHICH COMMUTERS MAY TRAVEL FASTER THAN THE WIND.

aggerated not a little, and the artist conceived a picture of rare merit that did great credit to his imaginative genius, but it resembles in not one particular the designs made by the inventor.

This system was pushed with such vigor in New York City that the present underground railway grew out of the agitation.

FORM COMPANY.

In December, 1887, General, Daniel

Macaulay, William Euclid Young, Lindley Murray and John H. Pierce organized the Fifth Avenue Pneumatic Tube Company, with offices at 66 Broadway, New York, and later secured General W. T. Sherman and the lieutenant Zaluski, now General Zaluski, inventor of the dynamite pneumatic gun, for engineers.

The proposed tubes were to be underground by Fifth avenue from the Battery to Harlem.

The twelve page prospectus of this

company is an interesting pamphlet and covers the chief points technologically considered.

In the famous Cooper Union and in various halls and churches the matter was discussed.

The Stevens Institute, a school of engineering that stands high, aided the plan and invited its inventor to give a lecture on "The Motary Resources of Science." General Sherman in his speeches to the Wall Street millionaires, who assembled almost unanimously to hear him, said: "I think I have a right to speak on an engineering topic, for I graduated from West Point as an engineer and I graduated at the head of my class."

One hundred millions, the oppo-

"If this mode of transmission was to come into general use there must be a great saving of time and a material relief to overcrowded streets."

The above is greatly condensed, but it is published to prove that falsehood defeated the New York City project.

Since that time every department at Washington has been connected by pneumatic tubes and when the metropolitan public were hearing that the pneumatic system was untried, the Western Union Telegraph Co. had a pneumatic line, of small size it is true, in constant use between the Battery and Harlem, a distance of eight miles, and under the streets of New York, the carriers passed at the rate of two miles to the minute.

The London Times noted that the Scientific American gave credit to Pierce's Pneumatic System for a thousand miles an hour, and that competent engineers stood sponsors for the practicability of the invention, which was a marked improvement on every pneumatic transit plan of the past.

VALUABLE SERVICE.

General John M. Thayer, a United States Senator, gave his aid to the project by publishing a letter in which he said "Colonel J. H. Pierce has certainly been a most useful citizen to our State. He is an honorable, upright man, and has rendered great and valuable services in developing our resources."

Even "Buffalo Bill," Hon. Wm. F. Cody, gave his hand across the sea and said "A world beater. . . . It is in the Paris and London papers."

I send you an extract from the Times. . . . I will help you on this side of the pond."

Jules Verne's hero is a wage-worker today, though he has known abundant affluence several times in his life. Various inventions have profited him largely, but as yet pneumatics has been only a heavy tax, but should he finally succeed in his plan to vastly reduce time and cost of transportation for passengers and freight, by land and sea, the wealth and the fame which would naturally rush upon him would be far beyond the conception of any one.

The man who holds the key of rapid transit is the master of the wealth and power of the world.



INSIDE THE CAR.

ents of the proposition stated, would be the approximate cost with no single instance of success to justify the vast outlay.

MANY LAUGHED.

This argument prevailed, although both statements were strenuously and continuously denied, and it is now admitted that the pneumatic tube would have been vastly cheaper than the system at present in use.

Chambers Encyclopedia says: "Medhurst, an inventor in pneumatics, was laughed at by his contemporaries as visionary, but in 1861 a tube was laid and mail bags successfully transmitted in this way."

In 1875 the number of tubes in regular use in London was twenty-four, and there were four tubes in Liverpool, three in Dublin, five in Manchester, three in Birmingham and one in Glasgow.

METCALF FOR THE NAVY

He Will Be Given Another Department in the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, June 3.—It was announced here today that Charles J. Bonaparte, who has been named to fill the vacancy as head of the Navy Department caused by the resignation of Paul Morton, will be eventually given the post of Attorney General Moody.

Certain other changes will be made in the Cabinet. One of these changes will be the retirement of Mr. Moody. Secretary Victor H. Metcalf will then go to the Navy Department. Mr. Metcalf is beyond doubt the hardest and most conscientious worker in the Cabinet. Fearful of losing Mr. Metcalf, the President has decided that the Navy Department would be the post for him.

The vacancy thus caused in the Department of Commerce and Labor will give the President a chance to call into his Cabinet James E. Garfield, who will be given the Commerce and Labor portfolio.

It has been announced by Secretary Shaw that he will not remain in the

WANT JUDGE MELVIN TO SPEAK

Judge Henry Melvin has accepted the following invitation:

"Cincinnati, Ohio, June 2, 1905.—To Judge Henry A. Melvin, Oakland, Cal.: Cincinnati Lodge No. 5, desires the honor of being addressed by you at memorial exercises December 2. Wire reply."

BUSINESS MEETING.

The W. P. C. No. 1 of Oakland held their regular business meeting Thursday evening, June 1, at the Free Baptist church. The meeting was well attended and many able speakers present. Mrs. C. A. Caswell, vice chairman, will have charge of the club during the absence of the Rev. Emma Pau Bander, and Mrs. M. E. Tyler will take the secretaryship of Mrs. L. J. Sommers, both of whom go to Chicago, June 12, to be present at the national convention to be held there.

HIS AMBITION QUENCHED.

"Some day you may be President of the United States," said the patronizing person. "I hardly think so," answered the small boy with a smile. "My parents never consent to my standing out of doors on a bright day to be inaugurated."

BOARD TO MEET.

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Free Public Library and Reading Rooms will be held in the library rooms on Tuesday evening, June 6, 1905, at 8 o'clock.

MRS. DICKMAN IS COMING HERE

MAKING A TOUR AFTER HER GREAT SUCCESS IN THE EAST.

The many friends of Mrs. Grace Morel Dickman in and around San Francisco will be glad to hear of her great success in the East, and that they will soon have an opportunity of seeing and hearing her in this city. She has just returned upon her second year as contralto soloist of the Rutgers Presbyterian Church, Rev. Robert MacKenzie, D. D., pastor, New York, where she has become a great favorite, not only on account of her magnificent voice and artistic singing, but because her gracious and charming manners.

During the past year and a half Mrs. Dickman has been studying under the eminent teacher, Arthur Mess, one of the leading musicians of New York, who considers her voice nothing short of phenomenal, and declares that her progress has been amazing. He has already offered her a number of oratorio engagements for next season, and predicts for her a triumph.

During the past season Mrs. Dickman has sung in many of Mr. Clarence Eddy's organ concerts in various parts of the country, and he has now engaged her for an extensive tour of organ and song recitals in the West and Northwest commencing June 1st at the new Auditorium in Topeka, Kansas, after which they will fill engagements in Wichita, Kansas, Colorado Springs, Denver, Salt Lake City, etc.

Mrs. Dickman will arrive in San Francisco about June 15th for a few weeks' rest, after which the tour will be continued in Oregon, Washington and across the continent through Canada.

ORGAN RECITAL.

On Tuesday evening, June 6, in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Fourteenth and Clay streets, Miss Elizabeth Simpson will be heard in her first organ recital in Oakland. Miss Simpson is the newly elected organist of this church and has studied under Sherwood of Chicago and also in Europe with the famous Barth of Berlin. Her numbers will include Mendelssohn's Sonata in C minor, Beethoven's Grande Overture in F minor, the Gavotte from "Mignon," the "Pillgrim's Chorus" and the march and chorus from "Tannhauser." Miss Simpson will be assisted by Herbert A. Smith, tenor, and by Mrs. Orrin Rip McMurtry, Miss Mabel Gray and J. M. Robinson, Miss Elsie D. Perkins will appear for the first time in Oakland as accompanist. As this recital is complimentary to Miss Simpson the public is cordially invited to be present. The ladies who have the affair in charge are Mrs. C. W. Kinsey, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. J. R. Scupham, Mrs. O. S. Orlick, Mrs. F. A. Webster, Mrs. G. E. Gray, Mrs. R. R. Dille, Mrs. J. S. Burpee, Mrs. E. T. Finch, Mrs. C. J. Reop, Mrs. C. A. Smith, Mrs. F. M. Hurd and others.

LIEUT. J. F. LYNCH TO MARRY

MISS JENNIE C. M'BRIEN TO LEAD CAPTIVE ONE OF OAKLAND'S "FINEST."

In August of this year Lieutenant J. Frank Lynch of the Oakland Police force will ask for and will be allowed a leave of absence. When he returns from the outing, he will be eligible to the section with the police force which has no affiliation with bachelors.

He will then have become the husband of Miss Jennie C. M'Brien, daughter of Patrick M'Brien, one of the most expert botanists and floriculturists in this city, and who, for a number of years, has been credited with the well-kept and attractive condition of Harrison Park in this city.

This is the information which leaked out in the circles today and is undoubtedly reliable, although neither the bride nor groom prospective could be found to substantiate it.

It is understood that it was the intention of Lieutenant Lynch and Miss M'Brien to keep the fact of their engagement a secret until a short time before the date agreed upon by them for their marriage, in order to avoid the hundred and one little annoyances which always follow the announcement of proposed marital alliances.

A FRIEND "LEAKED."

His purpose, however, has been frustrated by a treacherous friend, who, though he has betrayed a trust, feels that he has done his duty to the public in making known the fact that this couple will be united in matrimony. He has been continually depriving law breakers of their liberty for limited periods, simply has himself a little annoyed, which always follows the announcement of proposed marital alliances.

CONTRACTING PARTIES.

Colwell of Joliet, Ill., where she was born November 13, 1836. Her late husband, who died March 15, 1902, in Dixon, was a California pioneer, having come to this State in 1852. He accumulated considerable money in mining and returned to Joliet, where he made Miss Colwell his bride February 27, 1856. He returned at once to California with her, and later retired to a farm near Solano. They later removed to Dixon, Solano county, and he eventually became one of the largest landed proprietors of that section of the State.

Mrs. Brinkerhoff died possessed of considerable fortune. She leaves three children, Mrs. J. F. Martin, wife of the ex-Sheriff of Solano county; Mrs. Robert Harkinson, wife of the well-known banker of Antioch, and Mrs. Ida E. Traflet of Oakland.

WHIST Tournament

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TO INCORPORATE SOCIAL EVENTS NEW TOWN AT ALVARADO

RESIDENTS OF RICHMOND HAVE GOT TOGETHER AND PUSH-ING MATTERS. THOSE WHO VISITED THE TOWN DURING THE PAST WEEK-DANCES PLANNED.

POINT RICHMOND June 3-There was a meeting last night at the office of the Richmond Promotion Syndicate at which another long step was made toward the goal of municipal incorporation. The committee of the east side Messrs. E. A. Johnson, C. J. Hensley, J. E. Nystrom, W. E. Bartholomew and I. E. Marshall met by appointment with the committee of the west side and the whole matter of incorporation was gone over in detail.

It was agreed by both committees that a union municipal government was what the people of both sides wanted and there was a full and fair discussion of the ways and means of leading up to it. The necessities of incorporating as speedily as it could be effected were emphasized in order that "street work and other improvements in the city might be carried out before the winter came in. This was especially desirable on the west side where the city is running at a loss and good faith between the two committees and every effort to be made to secure the incorporation of the city and that end was union in principle.

ENGINE JUMPS TRACK. Engine No. 33 in charge of Engineer E. W. Thomas jumped the track at Luzon street Wednesday night but fortunately no lives were lost and very little damage was done to the locomotive. The engine was running on light after helping No. 3 over the hill and left the rails in the same spot where the big accident took place two years ago when the limited engine plunged full speed into the overland passenger. The driver of the engine was not hurt.

PLAN MUSICAL. A grand musical and literary entertainment will be given by the Brotherhood of American Women on Saturday June 10 at Schads Hall in which the best local and city talent will participate. This is the first time the women have attempted anything on a large scale to entertain the public and it is hoped they will be well patronized. Details of the entertainment and price of admission will be printed later.

BRIEFLETS. There are some holdup men in town and if you have any money it would be best to leave it at home after night. It is related that an attempt was made at Highway robbery on Wednesday night to rob the other night but the victim escaped without injury or loss of property. W. Hensley has resigned his position with the Rockdale Co. and will return to Hollister where he is wanted at his old job. Tom Corbett has taken place. This makes the Rockdale force Wilbur Young, Jesse Lawrence and Thomas Corbett as assistants to Manager Corbett.

Dr. E. A. Fitch the evangelist expects to remain here and preach at the Union Revival meeting all this week and possibly next. He is said to be a very interesting speaker. Assessor H. J. Jones will have his assessment rolls complete the last of this month. It is thought the total assessed valuation of the county will exceed that of last year.

PERSONAL MENTION. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bly of Oakland father and mother of J. C. Bly came out to Richmond Decoration day and spent the vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Bly on the hill. Mrs. F. G. Smith returned from San Jose last evening where she has been visiting her mother. Mrs. N. H. Whitcomb and daughter of San Francisco were the guests of Mrs. E. H. Harlow yesterday. Fireman Luckman came in from Fresno at Wednesday night and spent yesterday renewing acquaintances with old friends.

LIFE SAVERS TO MEET. NEW YORK June 3-The annual convention of the United States Life Saving Association representing all the life saving stations from Maine to California will open at Brighton Beach June 7. Fully 400 men whose daily vocation is the saving of human lives under the most hazardous conditions will attend the convention. Daily exhibitions will be given on the beach between the sessions.

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OAKLANDER'S DESCRIPTION OF LONG ISLAND.

Something About the Past and Present of New York's Playground.

BY HENRY KIRK OF EAST OAKLAND.

Long Island is called the playground of New York. This means a great deal, and a great many things from Coney Island and Manhattan each to Oyster Bay Sag Harbor and Shelter Island. The great country places so much written of are mostly on the south side of the island a Hempstead, Babylon Ronkonkoma-a few others about Oyster Bay, at Great Neck and Fort Washington. There are no distinctly fashionable seaside places in the island. No one would accuse Coney nor Brighton nor even Manhattan, of smartness, and Shelter Island, though a charming place, is to Newport and Bar Harbor as Belvedere is to Monterey.

All that really fashionable New Yorkers care for in Long Island may be found in these country places and in the motoring. The roads are splendid plenty of trees and water to look at, and quaint villages to pass through and the hills not steep enough to start a marble. But other people play, as well as the socially elect.

There's piles of money in New York and it's most surprising to know how it is divided. Anyway, you'll find all sorts and conditions of people up and down the south coast and at the extreme end, in all sorts and conditions of hotels and cottages. Long Island is also historic. There was a battle fought here somewhere in the Revolution but I don't remember much about it. The Revolution is so far away I'm sure if it weren't for the different patriotic societies and the few relics extant we'd forget about it altogether.

The little town of Riverhead is one of the most delightful in the island. It is about eighty miles from New York and has two or three thousand inhabitants. The streets are long and wide with great trees arching over the roadway making a charming sight as you look through them. They have more trees in this country, anyway than in California. Shade is a necessity. In Oakland a newspaper would do, but here they need millions of leaves and branches to keep off the heat.

All the houses have great porches and wide lawns, but scarcely a flower-a few vines but nothing that looks as if it stayed in the ground more than a few weeks. The house I am in was built eighty years ago. In the back are huge trees full of robins singing gloriously. There has just been an electrical storm something hideous, dark as night, bangs of thunder sheets of lightning showing off to advantage a cemetery a block away. But it's all over now the robins are singing as I said before the leaves and the long grass shining in the sun even the tombstones seem cheerful. The air is delightful and it smells nice.

This is all very charming, especially when you come to the beach, but it's quite literal. Long Island is full of quills. They grow in clumps and they grow in hedges. Yesterday I drove through miles of them. It's mighty pretty to see such quantities of them. And it's mighty pretty to see an old rose vine on an old gambrelled house the sort of thing Hawthorne wrote of. There are any amount of these old places scattered about Riverhead. Some of them are in decay the columned door-way falling in scarcely a tiny pane of glass in the window frames-others are well kept, many of them still occupied by the original family.

The old cemeteries you stumble over are most interesting. The inscriptions quaint and even amusing. The general idea seems to be that you too will find your way eventually beneath the sod. On the stone bearing a captain's name in one I visited was something about the stranger pausing and reflecting that valor courage and all the rest led only to the tomb all set forth as gravely as if the hero had been Napoleon or Hannibal. I don't suppose those colonial people had much sense of humor, or they wouldn't have written such things. Nor would they have carved above them funny little angels with faces like flies and wings sticking out like those of downless chickens.

But this is all irrelevant. It all happened a long while ago. Nowadays we don't take the trouble to moralize at all. It is enough to live to breathe and be happy. And here in Long Island it is easy to do these things and if you haven't a huge country house and garage and the rest, if you don't even know anyone who has, why come to Riverhead, you'll like it immensely, and there are any number of other pretty little places with pretty names like Wading River, Baiting Hollow, Wardenlyffe. They are full of inviting old houses.

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ED SMITH ON CORBETT-HANLON FIGHT

BACHELORS AND BENEDICTS IN MATCH GAME OF CRICKET.

Game to Be Played on the Alameda Grounds.

BY BOB SHAND

The league game being scheduled for tomorrow, the annual match between the single and married men, will take place on the Alameda lot. The teams have not yet been selected, as many of the players cannot be induced to take part in anything but a league engagement.

Captain Richardson, of the San Francisco County team, who heretofore has been eligible for the single eleven, has now qualified for a place on the bachelors' team. "Dick" is the only deserter from the bachelors' ranks since last year.

Two good teams will take the field and the other halves of the matrimonial combines will dispense tea to bachelor and benedict alike.

The Santa Cruz team has returned to "the village by the sea" minus the league points they expected to take home with them. They put up a good article of cricket and should have won at least one game—that against Alameda.

Harry Bird, who made the highest score for the Islanders, gave an easy chance early in his innings, and had it been accepted the Alameda total would have been much smaller than that of their opponents.

The Santa Cruzans made many friends during their visit, and were cordially invited to "call again."

Harry Dixon is said to have resigned from the San Francisco County team on account of some difference with the selection committee. Dixon is surely a better man than Weaver or Fiedemann Jr.

Young Sharp, of the Santa Cruz, did some splendid work in the field. On one occasion he hit the wicket from a distance of nearly fifty yards.

Jenkins' score of twenty-one



A. W. WELDING, of the Pacific Cricket Club.

against the Pacific was a very interesting item on the score sheet. It was composed wholly of singles.

Wilkes strained the muscles of his leg while bowling, but will be all right for the next game.

Wilding made a big hit on Tuesday. Arthur is always doing this kind of thing. It is said he was offered a valuable (?) prize if he made 50, but he fell one short of it.

Charlie Banner is still "one of the boys." He played in all three games for Santa Cruz and batted and bowled in splendid style.

"Cute" Roberts did some fine work with the ball against Santa Cruz. He

is San Francisco's most successful bowler this season.

The game on Decoration Day between Pacifics and Santa Cruz was the best attended of the season. The grandstand and ladies' pavilion were packed to their utmost capacity, and little groups of interested spectators were scattered around the field.

The pavilion is in a very dirty condition at present, and the grounds committee ought to give it their attention, a clean-up and a coat of paint.

Why does Captain Lannowe insist on going in among the tall-enders? A player of his ability should be one of the first to bat.

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GOSSIP FROM LAST GAME OF "BAT" NEARLY EASTERN TRACKS ST. MARY'S TEAM KNOCKED OUT

BY "NESTOR"

Oxford is being prepared for the Buffalo Derby. He galloped a mile and a quarter in 2:17 the other day.

Burleigh, under Sam Hildreth's handling, is expected to take the measure of a good many Eastern colts. He stepped three furlongs the other day in 37.

Artful, under Hildreth's handling, is said to be rounding to form. The horse stepped a mile handily the other day in 1:55.

At Sheephead, Bohemian, a grand-looking horse, attracting attention. He is trained by J. Rowe and something is expected of the horse before the meet closes. The horse galloped five furlongs last Tuesday in 1:54.

Perry, the pet that took the measure of Woodworth at Belmont Park, is in great form at Sheephead. C. Hughes, who has him in charge, is giving the youngster a careful preparation, and unless the horse goes wrong he expects to capture quite a few purses.

Walter Jennings, just to show the Easterners that his good horse Proper had a chance in the Brooklyn Handicap, yesterday sent the Prestopanes colt to the barrier to meet Lady Amelia and Big Ben in a future course affair.

The bookmakers laughed to see such a noted distance performer as Proper try to take the measure of the acknowledged sprinters and they laid 60 to 1 against Jennings' entry. They had cause to regret their decision. Proper finished third, two heads behind the winner, and had the race been six furlongs would have won. Proper has not only speed, but is the best "whip" horse in the Jennings' bunch and will take the measure of some of the Eastern cracks in his next few starts. For more than a year Proper has not been in form, but his last race indicates that he is in rare fettle and will take a world of beating. Superintendent McKay of the Haggan ranch said that Proper was the best horse ever bred on the famous farm. This season Proper will have a chance to demonstrate just what is in him. He has been on the shelf for a year.

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MAKE RAID ON GAMBLING HOUSES

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This follows closely on Mayor McComb's move made soon after his inauguration this spring on "putting down the lid" closing all saloons on Sunday.

Sheriff Garrison declares that the statutes against gambling will be rigidly enforced even to the extent of bringing the private poker rooms under the ban.

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MAY SEND TEAM UP NORTH

The Occidental Club of San Francisco is at present negotiating with the Athletic managers of the Portland Fair regarding sending the association football team north to compete in the championship games to take place there this summer.

The Occidentals have a good team and would not doubt make a fine showing against the crack clubs of the Northwest, but why, question some, does the union with the material it has to choose from, not pick a team composed of the best players of the various clubs and enter it as the California eleven? It is hoped by the followers of the game that something will be done towards this end as a team could be sent from California that would be a credit to the State.

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NO PUGILISTIC IDOLS AS OF OLD

Malachy Hogan, the well known Chicago fight referee and expert, declares the fact that at present there are no pugilistic idols, with the possible exception of Jeffries, and says that Terry McGovern's misfortune have probably ended the career of one of the most popular fighters who ever entered the ring.

The "Little Brooklyn terror" is in a bad way mentally, and is a terror now only to his friends. His retirement leaves the game with one hero less.

In fact, the world of pugilism has fewer idols now than for a dozen years. The great "drawing cards" of the ring can be counted on one's fingers, and then the list would be stretched a bit.

Jeffries, Tommy Ryan, Battling Nelson, Jimmy Britt, Jack O'Brien and Frankie Neil come readily to mind. But probably any one opinion on this list would be far from being "a heave" for Jeffries. Certainly a dozen or fifteen years ago the case was different.

Then Jim Corbett was at the top of his fame. Fitzsimmons was great; was Kid McComb, Shoney and Eddie Burke. Frank Craig, the Harlem Coffee Cooler, Joe Goddard, the barrier champion; George La Blanche, "the Marine," and of course Joe Choynski, the "trial horse" for dozens of aspirants for championship honors.

Today there is no one to meet Jeffries, George Gardner and Robert Fitzsimmons have practically passed. Tommy Ryan and Jack O'Brien have lost in favor because they have mixed up in phony-looking deals and failed to get together to settle the title both claim.

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MORE PAY FOR TEACHERS IN THE SCHOOLS.

Board of Education Makes An Advance of \$60 a Year For Some of Them.

The City Board of Education recognizing that the teachers of the schools of the city are deserving of more pay, made a provisional increase in the salaries of the principals and those teachers who have had ten years of experience, at least five of which have been in the Oakland schools of \$60 a year. The report of the committee adopted by the Board last night is as follows:

EXPLAIN POSITION.
"To the Honorable, the Board of Education:
Gentlemen: Your Finance Committee, before presenting the report on salaries of employees for the coming fiscal year, desire to present some explanation for the presentation of the report in the form in which it is.

"First we recognize the important work of the teachers of the Department.

"Second, we recognize that for the services rendered the pay is inadequate.

"We realize the great difficulty there is in raising funds to meet all public demands. We are informed, and believe, that the Supervisors of this county levied 3 cents additional school tax last year, with the understanding that the salaries of the teachers of the county are too low, and that the funds raised by this extra levy of three cents should be used toward increased compensation for the teaching force of the county. Remembering, however, that the method of distributing the State Fund has been changed, and not knowing to what extent the amended method of distribution will affect the amount of money that the district will receive from the State Fund, your committee has prepared two schedules, one to be known as 'Schedule A' and the other to be known as 'Schedule B.'

TWO SCHEDULES.
"Schedule A, with a few minor adjustments so as to equalize salaries, is the same as the schedule for the year 1904-1905.

"Schedule B increases the salaries

of teachers who have had at least five years' experience in the Oakland Public Schools, and ten years' experience in teaching in public schools, \$60 per annum. It also increases the salaries of the Grammar and Primary School principals \$60 per annum.

"We trust that the income for the year will permit of the payment of the salaries under Schedule B. We do, however, recommend as set forth in the Schedule of Salaries, that the payment of salaries during the year be made upon the basis of Schedule A, and if there are sufficient funds available after the schools have been maintained for forty-two weeks and after funds have been set aside for needed improvements and repairs, the teachers and principals be paid for services during the year in addition to the salaries set forth in Schedule A the difference between the salaries set forth in Schedule B and Schedule A, or so much thereof as there may be funds available for same.

SCHEDULE OF SALARIES.
"The annual salary of teachers and other employees shall be paid as follows: One-twelfth of third amount fixed by Schedule A at such times as the Board of Education may hereafter direct to be paid only so long as there are funds available. At the close of the forty-two weeks of service an amount shall be paid that will aggregate the amount fixed by Schedule A, and in addition to this sum shall be the difference between the salaries fixed by Schedule A and Schedule B as the funds available will permit.

"After the schools have been maintained forty-two weeks, and there shall have been set aside sufficient money to pay all outstanding indebtedness against the department, and to provide for needed betterments and repairs, any estimated funds remaining in the fiscal year shall be deemed available for the payment of the difference between the salaries fixed by Schedule A and Schedule B.

FORTY-TWO WEEKS IN YEAR.
"The total service required of teachers for the year is forty-two weeks.

"Should there not be sufficient funds

to maintain the schools during the entire forty-two weeks on the basis of Schedule A the Board of Education reserves the right to order the schools closed and to pay in full all demands such a part of the salary fixed by Schedule A as the weeks of service rendered if of the forty-two weeks of service required.

"Where the expression 'experience in teaching' is used, it means experience in teaching in any public school as a regularly certificated teacher, except where otherwise specified.

"In all mixed classes the salary shall be that of the highest grade taught. Should a teacher of a second grade class be required to teach a first grade class that was not able to complete the work of the first grade within the year, she shall not receive for such work the salary of a first grade teacher.

"Should a grammar grade teacher be required to teach the highest primary grade work to a class that was not able, within the year, to complete the primary work, she shall be paid a grammar grade salary.

"The salary of teachers employed for only one-half of each year, dividing the salary of the full year, shall be paid half the full salary for the portion of the year actually served.

"Teachers who shall be detailed as assistants to principals shall receive in addition to regular salary of teacher the sum of \$12 per month.

"Any increase or decrease in the number of classes in a school during any fiscal year shall not change the salary of the principal.

TEACHERS.
"Teachers who are graduates of a normal school or of a college or university shall be paid as follows:

"Less than one year's experience, primary grades, except first and kindergarten grades, \$752 per annum, grammar, first and kindergarten grades, \$782, more than one and not less than two years' experience, primary grades, \$782, first and kindergarten grades, \$812.

"Primary grades, except first and kindergarten grades, \$852, grammar, first and kindergarten grades, \$882.

SPECIAL TEACHERS.
Supervisor of drawing, \$1,512, supervisor of manual training, \$1,512, supervisor of physical culture, \$1,212, supervisor of nature study for full time in grammar and primary schools, \$1,212, supervisor of penmanship, half time, \$756.

PRINCIPALS.
"Principals of schools of sixteen classes or more, except as hereinafter provided, \$2,012; principal of Franklin School, \$2,012; principal of schools of from eight to fifteen classes, inclusive, \$1,712; principal of Fremont School, \$1,712; principal of Harrison School, \$1,512; principal of Pershing School, \$1,512; principal of Washington School, \$1,512; principal of Grove Street School, \$1,512.

EVENING SCHOOL SALARIES.
"Principal Central Evening School, \$912; teacher of class for High School studies, \$812; teacher of other classes in evening school, \$482.

JANITORS' SALARIES.
"Day, \$512, Clawson, \$762, Cole, \$1,212, Durant, \$1,332; French, \$1,032; Garfield, \$1,272; Grant, \$552; Grove Street, \$482; Harrison, \$592; Lafayette, \$1,212; Lincoln, \$1,272; Pershing, \$482; Piedmont, \$722; Prescott, \$1,212, Sweet, \$552; Temescal, \$722; Tompkins, \$912; Washington, \$482; Common School Assembly Hall, \$72, Pershing School (outside), \$72.

DEPARTMENT.
"Department mechanic with horse and wagon \$1,512.

DEPARTMENT ADMINISTRATION.
"Truant officer, \$612, stenographer in office of Superintendent of Schools, \$812, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, \$2,012, City Superintendent of Schools, \$2,012.

"Respectfully submitted,
"C. H. REDINGTON,
"JOHN D. ISAACS."

The above report was unanimously adopted. Director Rogers, however, stating that in his opinion there was no doubt that there would be sufficient funds to pay the extra \$60 to those entitled to it, and he was in favor of giving them the increase each month as it came along. His recommendation, however, failed of further support and the recommendation as made was adopted.

Schedule B as referred to throughout provides for the payment of an additional \$60 at the end of the year to those teachers who have had the required amount of experience.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS ARE ELECTED BY BOARD.

Salaries Are Fixed and General Provision Made For Conduct of Schools.

The following schedule of salaries for the teachers of the Oakland High School was adopted.

"The maximum salaries for the year ending June 30, 1906, are fixed as follows:

"Teachers who have had less than two years' experience, \$1,092.

"Teachers who have had two, but less than three years' experience, \$1,212.

"Teachers who have had three, but less than five years' experience, \$1,332.

"Teachers who have had five years' experience, \$1,452.

"Teacher of Physical Culture, Oakland High School for girls, three days per week, and on such days after 3 p. m., until excused by the principal, \$912.

"Teacher of Physical Culture, Oakland High School, for three days per week, from 8:30 a. m. until 5:30 p. m., and on Saturdays when required by the principal, \$912.

"Teachers of cooking and sewing, \$1,112.

"Teachers of Stenography and Typewriting, half time until 3 o'clock and half time until 5 o'clock.

"Services of pianist for gymnasium exercises, \$3 per day for each day's services.

"Principal's Clerk, High School, \$732.

"Teacher Manual Training in Wood Work from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., or 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., \$1,512.

"Teacher of Astronomy and Physical Geography (day time) 20 hours per week, \$812.

"Astronomer, \$1,200.

"Teacher of Industrial drawing, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., \$1,512.

"Teacher of Bookkeeping and Commercial studies, half time, \$756.

SUPERVISOR.
"Heads of departments, in addition to regular salary of teacher, \$285.

"Vice Principal, in addition to salary of teacher, \$175.

"Principal Polytechnic High School, \$2,562.

Principal Oakland High School, \$3,012.

JANITORS.
Oakland High School, \$1,892.

"Note—The annual salaries above represent what the teacher or employee receives in warrants. In order to realize cash on said warrants, the holder thereof must usually pay to bank a discount during the year aggregating one and one-half per cent of one per cent of the annual salary."

ELECT TEACHERS.
The following teachers were elected for the ensuing term unassigned to any positions, however:

J. H. Pond, A. W. Brower, Annie F. Brown, Winnie Bunker, E. F. Burill, S. B. Culver, C. Engelhardt, Harriet E. Corliss, Elizabeth R. Cosby, S. E. Coleman, C. M. Fisher, W. H. Graves, C. H. Greenleaf, F. M. Hanna, L. E. Johnson, B. D. Knox, P. V. Le Fort, William P. Milliken, M. E. Moore, Lena M. Redington, S. E. Shoemaker, Grace Sutton, M. Wythe, J. R. Sutton, W. Stafford, R. V. Winterburn, E. T. Breck, R. M. Orton, F. J. Beck, Belle Wentworth, P. M. Fisher, B. F. Allison, Charles Eichelhardt, Nell K. French, Golda Hale, Mary C. Heat, D. L. Irskop, Sarah A. Madden, Evelyn Gilmore, H. C. Simpson, W. A. Tenney, Mary L. Teel, M. W. Tyrrell, A. Ruth Wilder, E. H. Coffey.

JANITORS.
H. F. Goff, F. J. Wentworth, Shirley Weaver.

LEAVES GRANTED.
Leaves of absence have been granted to A. F. Brown, F. M. Hanna, S. E. Culver, L. E. Johnson, Catherine Englehardt, and G. M. Fisher, and the following substitutes were elected respectively:

For the teachers named as above: Miss Sue H. Dunbar, Miss Elizabeth Sanderson, Miss Gertrude Jewett, Miss Katherine Lynch, Robert Butler, Miss Julia Smith, for the period for which the several teachers were granted leave.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL TEACHERS.
The following teachers were elected as members of the school department in the grammar grades, unassigned, however, to any particular position:

J. A. Vergon, Elizabeth H. Stokes, Anne M. Bradley, Maud M. Davis, Gertrude Lane, Margaret M. Noon, Daisy L. Pittman, Maurice E. Young, M. J. Stockton, Julia E. Colby, Mary J. Ayres, Flora R. Smith, Augusta L. Zabel, Caroline Reed, Bertha Felush, Ida M. Kellbar, Douglas Whitehead, Stella G. T. Trask, Geo. W. Price, Robina Ferguson, Alice Stewart, Louise Groat, M. Ella Hall, Martha D. Baker, Maud B. Wentworth, Mary G. Donnelly, Irene Hankinson, Ina E. Baker, Emma Resseguie, Ada Russell, Elizabeth M. York, William Gump, M. McDonald, Sillie B. Hampton, M. M. Pearce, Martha R. McClure, Susan H. Smith, Isabella F. Morrison, Fanny G. Smith, Margaret Connors, Emma Cane, S. G. S. Dunbar, E. E. Greenman, E. Reynolds, H. S. Hutchinson, Emma E. C. Ryan, M. Agnes McFadyen, Pauline Marshall, M. C. Suterland, Hanna Sorenson, Nellie McQuinn, F. L. Mitchell, Elizabeth E. W. Smith, G. W. Walter, P. Perkins, E. B. Chisholm, G. D. Gregg, F. M. Thomas, A. G. Hilling, C. H. Madocks, L. A. Baker, L. B. 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ENTERTAINING AT CLAREMONT.

Most of the entertaining is at Claremont these days, the pretty country location lending itself better to mid-summer festivities than do houses in town. Claremont is perfectly charming and the broad veranda is usually crowded with luncheon guests, especially on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays. On Tuesday there were many golfers whose wives came out to lunch with them, forming various jolly little parties of six or eight. The grounds of the club have always been well kept up and are blooming just now.

The Edward Lacey Bryans gave a pretty dinner at the club house last Saturday night. It is the last entertaining of the season for them, as they are off for Santa Barbara soon, to be away for the rest of the summer.

BRIDGE IN OAKLAND.

Now that bridge has really come to Oakland to stay, we are beginning to sit up and take notice, and many of us are going to take lessons this summer. Mrs. William Morrison's bridge party this week, which was in honor of Miss Ethel Whitney, who has been absent for a long while in the East, was a distinct success. Mrs. Robert Knight won the prize. Later Mrs. Morrison followed the example of San Francisco hostesses and invited in a score or more of friends to tea. The tea contingent embraced those who do not play bridge especially well, or who had engagements for the early afternoon.

Miss Georgie Strong also entertained for Miss Whitney last week, a charming informal dinner being the form taken by the entertainment.

ENTERTAINING FOR MISS CHASE.

Miss Helen Chase, whose marriage to Traylor Bell will be one of the early June events, has been the motif of much of the recent entertaining. Several of her bridesmaids and their relations have made Miss Chase a guest of honor, and at the luncheon to her attendants, at which the prospective bride was the hostess, nothing could have been lovelier than the artistic Chase home, which is now over-running with blossoms. Mr. Bell has just been graduated from the Hastings College of Law—in the same class in which was Hugh Goodfellow.

JOHN DREW'S OPENING.

The fashionable event of the week across the bay was the opening of John Drew on Monday night, on which occasion the Columbia was packed, and the charity entertainment for the San Francisco Maternity which called out a fashionable audience on Wednesday afternoon, filling the big ballroom of the Palace Hotel. Drew is charming as ever. The men go to see his clothes and the women to see him. John Drew is always the glass of fashion and the mold of form, for not only does he know what to wear but how to wear it, and so the latest thing in evening waistcoats is known now to be single-breasted, with four buttons set very close together, cut very low in the neck and with a "v"-shaped nick at the bottom. Also evening ties—take my eyes for it—are much longer and the butterfly or bat wing is no longer the fashion.

As for the play it is slight but most amusing. By the author of "The Royal Family," which was an example of how delightful a play may be made with the slightest of materials, it is an example of the omelette soufflé-in-comedy. It is all froth and feathers, and when you reach home you cannot

remember anything about it, in particular, but while you are there you shriek with laughter and enjoy yourself to the top of your bent. There are really but four characters in the piece, but each of these is so perfectly cast that one feels there is really nothing to be desired. Margaret Dale, the leading lady, has improved very much, indeed, gaining in power and losing in those offensive mannerisms which were once so painful. She supports Mr. Drew very ably. As for Miss Fanny Brough, who takes the part of Mrs. Mulholland, the widow of the "glue king," she is perfect—nothing more delightful in character work has been seen in late years. Captain Marshall, the author, laughs in her at our American habit of naming people after the piebald article in which they have made their money—but, perhaps, it shows our independence as much as our unconsciousness of what is ludicrous. Ferdinand Gottschalk is most humorous as the fortune-hunter and parasite, and doubtless were one familiar with London society, one could easily recognize the originals of these characters.

Mrs. Mulholland, especially, is full of aphorisms, her "once a widow, always cautious" bids fair to become famous, and when she plaintively remarks that it is so unfortunate to have had one's fortune made in glue, glue being so hard to get away from, the house shrieks.

All the subordinate parts are perfectly taken, except perhaps the ladies' maids, who did not look smart enough to me. Be sure to see Drew by all means—it is not a play one can afford to miss. The house the first night was a brilliant one, socially and prettily dressed. All of the boxes except the top ones were filled, and I do not think there was a vacant seat in the house. Mrs. Eleanor Martin had a party which occupied two loges, and which was preceded by a dinner at home, and followed by supper at Tait's. Among Mrs. Martin's guests were General Shafter and Mr. and Mrs. Downey Harvey. Mrs. Harvey wore the most poetical interpretation of a poke bonnet which I have seen. It was a sort of glorified Corday of the sort that Mrs. Potter wore in the play by that name, and it was of light chip and was trimmed with roses and velvet of the most vivid coral. About one woman in a thousand could wear it, but it suited Mrs. Harvey adorably.

The Harry Holbrooks were in another party, and Mrs. Holbrook wore a wonderful New York hat—a French importation—with a feather coming toward the front at the most unusual angle. It had the effect of being worn wrong side before, but that is the mode this season.

In another box were Mr. and Mrs. Clement Tobin, Ed Tobin and Miss Ethel Dean. Miss Dean wore a handsome black hat trimmed with roses in two shades of pink, and a long pink plume. Mrs. Tobin wore blue and black and white effects.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tobin, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spreckels, Dr. and Mrs. Moffitt and Mr. Phelan were in other boxes. Mrs. Moffitt wore her long chinchilla mantle and Mrs. Spreckels wore a pink hat—pink being so very fashionable this season. The Phelan party supped afterward at Tait's, as did the Holbrooks. The Parrotts were in another loge, and Mr. and Mrs.



Miss LESLIE THAYER GREEN
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Miss IDA BELL
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Will Denman were in the house. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Pillsbury had a small party, which included Miss Cadwalader.

A FASHIONABLE BENEFIT.

A charity affair which matched the John Drew opening in smartness was the benefit for the San Francisco maternity, of which I have already spoken, and which drew several hundred people, not all of them women, to the Palace Hotel ball-room on Wednesday afternoon. It had been discreetly advertised that John Drew would be there—and he was—but not on the stage. The performance was deadly dull—nothing could have been stupider, though Miss Caroline Little sang very charmingly. However, it takes more than one swallow to make a summer, even when the swallow sings adorably.

The stage was prettily fitted up with crimson velvet hangings and looked very pretty indeed. The first number was the quartette from Rigoleto, sung by some of Madame Carrington-Lewys' pupils. But how could that boy tenor, Otis Carrington, dare to sing that tenor role with the voice of Caruso ringing still in our charmed ears? Mrs. Cora Hall, the soprano, is

not bad—the others I do not even remember. Later Mrs. Hall sang a Chanson Provencale. For Miss Somebody's Greek Dance, Miss Little sang the air of Penelope Weaving Her Web. The dancer is the same emaciated but graceful young woman who danced in Miss Anglin's Eternal Feminine Moonlight. She is very graceful, and she looked well in the Grecian costume, but her posturings remind me too much of Caro True, Boardman illustrating rage, jealousy and despair in the old Delsarte days. I thought we had happily outgrown that sort of thing, along with gilded rolling-pins and painted shovels. And I think that if Penelope had woven her web as Miss Gwendolen Valentine wove it—that is, the emaciated young lady's name—she would have torn it all to pieces.

Miss Caroline Little sang two numbers and an encore, and then came the little playlet with Miss Anglin and Mr. Worthing, and characters interpolated for Mr. McAllister and Mrs. Whiffen. The two latter were supposed to be lunatics and they certainly acted the parts. Mr. Worthing, as usual, did not know one of his lines and Miss Anglin, who looked very pretty in the blue dress and hat with the pink feather about which such a fuss was made in Mariana, carried the thing through, but the play itself is most uninteresting and impossible, the actors had not bothered to learn the lines, and the entire thing was a dreary bore. Of course, it was the rankest effrontery to charge two dollars for it, but it was fashionable and was charity, and one expects to be held up under such circumstances.

There were refreshments afterward in an adjoining room, and the lady patronesses were charmingly agreeable, but the really smart people took their tea in coolness and comfort in the Palm Garden. There were a number of people there from our side of the bay, among them Mrs. Charles Butters, whose dark, animated face it is always a pleasure to see; Miss Bertha Monroe-Rickoff, Mrs. Emma Shafter, Howard, Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Miss Nicholson and Mrs. W. E. Darling. The Jolliffe's, Mrs. Ford and Miss Ethel Dean had a large tea table in the Palm Garden. Mrs. Fred Tait, Mr. Landers and Miss Pearl



Miss JEAN LOUDERBACK
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Landers formed another party. Mrs. Robert Stuart Browne had as her guest Mrs. Umben. Mrs. Leonard Chenery, Mrs. Patton and Miss Ethel Patton, who have just returned from Del Monte, were there, and Mrs. Dixwell Hewitt, looking very smart indeed, monopolized much of John Drew's attention. Mr. Drew himself wore one of those funny, straight-brimmed silk hats, which are all the rage in New York, and looked like a gentleman out of a portrait. He really looks much younger off the stage than I expected. He is spending his season here, and will soon be joined by Mrs. Drew and Miss Louise Drew, after which they will all go to Burlingame for the summer. Nat Goodwin also ends his season here, after which he will join his friend, Joe Redding, for a month at the Bohemian Club grove. That is the sort of outing that Nat Goodwin likes, and he is such a famous story teller that when he talks no does bark and even



Miss MARGIE L. WEBER
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the most accomplished yarnsters sit silent at his feet. Two years ago he was the star of the entire occasion, and I doubt not he will be again.

A NEW ENGAGEMENT.

Society is much interested in the announced engagement of Miss Marie Louise Parrott and Francis McComas, the artist. Miss Parrott is the younger daughter of the Louis Parrotts, a sister of Mrs. Parker Whitney, whose romantic elopement caused such excitement a couple of years ago, and she evidently has the independence of her sister. Mr. McComas is a talented painter, an Australian, and he has made considerable money by his brush. His pictures are beautiful, and he has made many sales in London and New York, as well as in San Francisco, where his first success came to him. A painter with a society girl for a wife is something of a novelty, and it remains to be seen whether the pair will turn out to be society butterflies or Bohemian chrysalises. The wedding is, I hear, to take place soon. Miss Parrott is a wealthy girl in her own right, but the affair is a pure love match.

GOING TO ALASKA.

Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard is staying at the St. Andre's, across the bay, having rented her house for six months to the Boardmans. She will eventually build across the bay, but has not yet settled on her location. She contemplates a trip to Alaska soon, with her son Carl.

MANY WEDDINGS.

Never in the history of that famous personage, "The Oldest Inhabitant," has there been so many weddings to chronicle. Everything social centers about some popular bride-elect—there are luncheons, teas, linen showers in her honor. The bride entertains her attendants—the groom gives a dinner for his best man and ushers. And then there is the great event—the wedding itself. And as we have had many brides this spring, the social program has been repeated many times.

One of the faintest and most charming brides-elect of the year has been Miss Helen Chase, whose marriage to Mr. Traylor Bell takes place next Tuesday evening.

A good character test of a young girl is her ability to keep old friends. Miss Chase has been away from home a great deal, for months at a time, on occasions, but she has kept the friendship of old friends, and in many different circles are hearty wishes for her happiness.

The Chases have an exceedingly attractive and a very artistic home. But it is not a large home, so only the relatives and intimate friends of both families are to be present at the interesting ceremony.

Miss Chase has chosen for her maid of honor Miss Bessie Reed, and the other attendants are to be Miss May Coogan, Miss Lucretia Burnham, Miss Ethel Crellin, Miss Helen Dornin, Miss Wickson, Miss Elsie Kimble.

Miss Bessie Reed gave a linen shower for Miss Chase, and one hears that in this special shower were some exquisite specimens of handwork.

Miss Helen Dornin has planned a card party on Saturday afternoon, her guest list including girls for the most part who are her cousin's friends.

The bride has entertained her attendants at luncheon, and Miss Ethel Crellin also entertained the wedding party at luncheon at the Country Club. It was a very dainty luncheon, the color scheme in pink effectively worked out in sweet peas, and the name cards, fascinating water color studies. The wedding of Miss Chase and Mr. Bell will be the leading social affair of next week.

MISS WOLSBURGER TO WED.

Another June wedding of which everyone is talking is that of Mr. Samuel Hubbard Jr. and Miss Josephine Wolsbarger of Austria.

Many details of the happy romance have not yet been received, but no doubt the mails will bring them to us in due time. The Hubbards are very well known people here, and they entertained very extensively when they lived on Oak street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard have been very devoted to their three sons, "Sam, Will and Charlie Hubbard," and when they built the large residence on Vernon Heights their sons' friends were always welcome therein.

Mr. Will Hubbard married Miss Peck of Milwaukee, and they are entertaining Mrs. Hubbard's mother, Mrs. Peck, at their home on Vernon Heights. A few months ago Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hubbard closed their home on the Heights and went abroad for an extended trip. Their sons Charles and Samuel Hubbard Jr., accompanied them. They traveled extensively, spending the winter in Southern Europe, principally in Italy and Austria. Some time ago, the engagement of Mr. Samuel Hubbard was quietly announced to some intimate friends, and they told the news of his engagement to a beautiful Austrian of good family.

Now the announcement is made that the wedding will take place in London on June 11th, and when Mr. Hubbard returns to California, he will bring back with him, one of the most interesting brides of the year.

He is not the first of our young men to bring back a bride from foreign parts. To everyone's surprise, some months ago, Dr. Roy Belden announced his marriage in London to Mrs. Helen Hecht, and when he crossed the ocean he brought a German bride with him.

Mrs. Belden, Senior, and Nadine Belden have been recently guests of Mrs. Roy Belden's relatives in Berlin.

The Hubbards, Senior and Junior, are coming home this summer, and no doubt there will be much social entertainment for the beautiful Austrian bride.

WEDDING OF INTEREST.

Another wedding which is exciting much interest in social circles, especially in those across the bay, is that of Miss Leslie Green and Mr. Huntington. The latter is the only son of the H. E. Huntingtons, and of course one of the heirs to the Huntington millions. Leslie Green is really a very pretty girl, with fascinating manners, and Mr. Huntington is to be congratulated.

The wedding is to be a quiet one early in August, at the bride's home in Berkeley, and the young people will make their home in Los Angeles, where young Mr. Huntington looks after the extensive business interest of his father. The Huntingtons are much sought after in San Francisco circles, but they seem to prefer Los

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Angeles, and they spend a great deal of time in the south, where they have a beautiful home.

They are neighbors of the Byrnes, who also have a superb home in Los Angeles. Mrs. Byrnes was formerly Miss Green, and it was during a month's visit to her sister in the south, that Miss Leslie Green met young Mr. Huntington. It proved an eventual visit in the annals of both families.

UPHAM-GORDON NUPTIALS.

Another interesting wedding is that planned this summer of Mr. Isaac Upham, Jr., and Miss Cornelia Gordon.

The bride is an Eastern girl, of the exclusive naval set of Washington, and one hears that she is a most attractive girl.

The Lakeside people remember very well, when the Uphams lived over here, and entertained extensively at their home on Jackson street. Isaac and Bessie Upham went to the Lincoln school, and they have kept up in a large measure the friendships of their younger days.

The bride-elect is to be the guest of honor at a tea to be given by Mrs. Dennis Searles on the 11th. Mrs. Searles is herself one of the brides of the year, and she and her husband have just taken possession of their artistic home at Piedmont.

Many Oakland people met Mrs. Searles at a tea given early in the year by Miss Gertrude Gould.

WILL MARRY IN BERKELEY.

One of the interesting weddings of next week will be that of Miss Julia Andrus and Mr. Nelson Shaw, the wedding to take place at the bride's home in Berkeley.

Both the bride and groom are very young, but as it is a genuine love match, they bid fair to be very happy. It is a notable wedding, since Nelson Shaw is the only grandson of the late A. N. Towne, and he is a great favorite with his grandmother, Mrs. A. N. Towne.

His mother, Mrs. Clinton E. Worden, is one of the most attractive women in San Francisco social circles. She is young looking, with very charming, fascinating manners.

Mrs. Towne and Mrs. Worden make frequent visits to "Highlands," being old and much esteemed friends of Mrs. Requa.

GROUND BROKEN FOR NEW HOME.

Ground has been broken and the new home is to go up immediately, the charming little artistic shingled residence which will represent the home in the future of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hall. The younger set are greatly interested in this engagement, which seems to be one of the happiest engagements of the year. Mrs. Haven is very fond of her son-in-law-elect, and Mrs. Hall is greatly attached to her new daughter-in-law, so the wedding will take place under the happiest of auspices.

Miss Bessie Haven has named her wedding attendants. The maid of honor will be her sister, pretty Miss Laura Haven, a young High School girl.

The bridesmaids will be Miss Susie Hall, a sister of the groom, Miss Fannie Flaw, the bride's cousin, and Miss Katherine Brown, and Miss Evelyn Hussey, the most intimate friends of the bride-elect. One really could write reams in regard to the weddings of the early summer, but there are other social chapters to chronicle.

SUMMER EXPEDITIONS.

Of course, social history early in June, when the schools are closed, relates mainly to the summer expeditions planned by one's friends.

Some of them lead the wanderers far afield, while others take them away for only a few days to the mountains or to the near-by sea shore.

Among those going abroad this year is Mrs. Lucie Hayes. Mrs. Hayes goes abroad with Mrs. Thomas Watson, formerly Miss Spreckels. Every one knows of the marriage of Miss Spreckels, how it estranged the other members of the family. After the passing of Mr. Watson, Mrs. Watson came to America to visit her mother. But she has been so long abroad that she prefers life there, especially in England. She has a charming step-daughter, now quite grown up, and both are planning this year, a winter trip to India.

In Paris are the McCabes, who have been enjoying life this spring in southern Europe. They sail for home in the near future, and will spend the summer on this coast.

Doctor Vida Redington and Miss Lena Redington arrive in London this week. They will spend some weeks of the early summer in a tour of the British Isles, and they expect to arrive in Oakland about the middle of August.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Pennoyer have gone to New York, and they are to take one of the large ocean liners for

Europe in the near future. They intend to spend a year abroad for the benefit of Mr. Pennoyer's health.

Mrs. Pennoyer is an experienced traveller, and she has been several times abroad. In Pisa she wrote the charming little story, which was widely read by her friends.

The boys of the Pennoyer family are in school abroad, and one hears that they are already most accomplished linguists.

WILL GO ABROAD.

Among those who go abroad this year will be several teachers, Miss Heaton, Miss Johnson, Miss Culver, and Miss Annie Brown. All of them will be away a year.

Miss Annie Brown is a granddaughter of the late Mr. Delger, who was formerly one of Oakland's best known capitalists.

Miss Brown is going direct to Germany, where she will join the Möllers, who are established in Berlin. Mrs. Möller is very much attached to her niece, and the latter will travel with the Möllers in their various interesting expeditions abroad.

MANY IN NEW YORK.

Many well known people are in New York this month. Mr. Mark Requa has been there on business, and he has been with his aunt, Mrs. Shaw, at the Netherlands.

Mr. Requa is acquiring a permanent place in New York business circles, and recently a large dinner was given him by prominent New York business men. Mr. Requa's speech at the dinner represented an able effort. He is one of the young business men very representative of this coast.

METCALF'S VIEWS.

Secretary and Mrs. Metcalf have recently been in New York. One of the most interesting articles of the day is carried in "The Book Lovers' Magazine."

Secretary Metcalf is planning a great congress of manufacturers and shippers to be held at Washington. He is convinced that the American capitalists of industry have been so busy multiplying the fortunes at home that they do not appreciate the vast opportunity offered them abroad.

Mr. Metcalf would like to impress upon the business men of this country that our exports of manufactured goods to distant countries are really very small. He stated that the Department of Commerce is constantly in receipt of official information from all parts of the world complaining that Americans are losing opportunities because our manufacturers neglect to give intelligent attention to the proper methods of packing goods for transshipment. Stoves, for example, Mr. Metcalf pointed out, would arrive in a distant port, and when finally delivered to the purchaser lids and doors would be missing; and as these could not be replaced the stove would not only be worthless but would be a standing warning against further transactions.

He has explained that it was to that end that he had been arranging for the national session of American manufacturers and others. He believed that closer relations should be established between the Department of Commerce and the organized industries in America, which could profit immensely if they would systematically undertake foreign extension of their large activities.

Now that special conference bids fair to be far-reaching in its results, and one of the most important ever held in the history of our country.

Secretary Metcalf is one of the most thoughtful students in the Cabinet, and he really has a big problem to consider. As a result of his study this winter, the big convention is to be called in Washington.

California is very proud of the Metcalfs, but they belong to Oakland specially, because here for many years has been their home, and here, of course, are their warmest friends.

ABOUT THE PEOPLE WE KNOW.

Mr. Robert Mein has recently been registered at the Hotel Imperial, in New York, before sailing for England, en route to Cape Town.

Mrs. J. M. Driscoll is now at the Holland House awaiting the arrival from abroad of the Thomas Driscolls, who are returning from their wedding trip.

Mrs. Hale, Miss Sadie Hale, and Miss Ethel Valentine have been at the Albermarle, and Miss Hale seems to have quite recovered from the dangerous illness which sent her for so many months to Colorado Springs.

Mr. H. C. Taft left for the East this week, to attend to the winter sales for the large establishment, and he will be joined later in the summer by Mr. Maxwell Taft. The Max Tafts are going to Cloverdale for a short vacation before Mr. Taft takes his departure for the East.

Among the graduates from Eastern schools this summer, is Miss Marie



MRS. HARRY FARR, DAUGHTER OF MRS. W. E. SHARON.

Butters, who graduates from the Scoville school.

Mrs. Victor Metcalf was among the guests at the graduating exercises at the Scoville school, and afterwards Miss Butters accompanied her to Washington. Mrs. Metcalf will chaperone Miss Butters to this coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Chase leave for the East shortly after their daughter's wedding. They always go to the Maine coast, where for many generations has dwelt the family of Chase.

There is the most charming summer home on an island near Eastport, and Mr. Chase greatly enjoys his summer among old time friends and relatives.

Miss Josie Eastland, who has spent the entire winter at the Metropole, leaves for the East on Saturday. Miss Eastland goes also to Memphis, where she will be the guest of cousins for the late summer.

Mrs. D. H. Mathes and Miss Mollie Mathes are also in New York. They are going later to the White Mountains, where they plan to spend the entire summer.

The F. M. Smiths have not yet taken their departure for Shelter Island. The date of their departure has been set many times, but they still linger at Arbor Villa.

The Roland Olivers will remain with them at Arbor Villa until they go East.

President and Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler are East, and have lately been in New York. They are not going to make the usual long stay East this summer, but are coming home late in June, as early in July the Taft party will be their guests.

Mrs. J. A. Folger is comfortably settled for the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Le Grande Tibbets. The Tibbets' home in the East is at Hoosac, New York.

SOCIETY DOING GOOD WORK.

Among the social activities of each week are those planned by the ladies interested in promoting the good work of the Society of the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Each day sees the society assuming added strength, and many prominent names are added daily to the roll of members.

Each week a meeting is held at the home of some one of the members, and it really represents an informal tea.

The meeting this week was held at the home of Mrs. T. C. Judkins on San Pablo avenue.

Mrs. Judkins has a most artistic home, and the many guests spent a most enjoyable afternoon. There was presented a most interesting program. Reports of the work already done were made, and plans were formed for future effort. There was a musical program as well, one of the singers of the

afternoon being Mrs. Mabel Gray Lachmund.

Later in the afternoon, refreshments were served. Among Mrs. Judkins' guests were Mrs. Thomas Wade, Mrs. Frank Soule, Mrs. Joseph Mathews, Mrs. William C. Ralston, Mrs. Charles Holbrook, Mrs. E. W. Thomas, Mrs. Borel von Eissler, Mrs. Reese Thompson, Mrs. J. Hamilton Todd, Mrs. J. B. Root, Mrs. Frost of San Rafael, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. W. Rodgers, Mrs. T. Carpenter, Mrs. Granlund, Miss Granlund, Mrs. H. M. Bull, Mrs. Pinkerton, of New York, Mrs. Tilden.

The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. E. W. Thomas on Oak street.

HAVE GONE TO THE ORIENT.

Mrs. Alger and Miss Maud Alger left town recently to spend the summer in Honolulu. There they met friends who were going on to the Orient, so the Algers changed their plans, and sailed recently with friends for China and Japan.

PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL.

Among the many philanthropies which promise exceedingly well for the future, is the Providence Hospital Auxiliary.

A meeting of the ladies was held on Thursday afternoon, at which many prominent families of the city were represented.

With a thousand charity patients on the roll for a year, there is much to be done in the way of helping sweet Mother Theresa, and her devoted band of assistants in their noble work, Mrs. Thomas Hogan is the presiding officer, and she is one of the ablest presiding officers in our city, with a good knowledge of parliamentary law, considerate and tactful.

The Advisory Board of the Providence Auxiliary is composed of Rev. Thomas McSweeney, Hon. W. E. Dargie, James K. Moffitt, Mr. Henry A. Butters and Mr. John E. McElroy.

Many plans for helpfulness were discussed at the meeting. A reading room was planned by one of the literary women of our city, and already many magazines and papers are finding their way to the hospital.

A nurse's library is also being established, and nearly a hundred books were promised at the meeting. The library is in charge of Mrs. Harry Coon of Fruitvale.

Among the prominent people interested in the hospital work are Mrs. Thomas Hogan, Mrs. Henry Butters, Mrs. A. R. Bray, Mrs. A. D. Thompson, Miss Connors, Mrs. Ewer, Mrs. E. R. Folger, Mrs. E. B. Sanborn, Mrs. John Francis Smith, Mrs. Lavalle, Mrs. Henry Mathews, Mrs. E. M. Remillard, but the list is a long one, as the names already number nearly one

hundred.

Flower days are to be arranged, and among the young girls who are planning to be of great assistance to Mother Theresa in her hospital work are the Misses Sanborn, Miss Marguerite Butters, and Miss Anita Thomson.

HOW TO WEAR SLEEVES.

Everyone is getting ready to go away, and the favored occupation of almost every girl I know is turning the sleeves of her waists and gowns upside down. For sleeves are quite exactly the opposite to what they were last year, full sleeves near the shoulders being the order of the hour.

The schools close this week, and early in the week many families will start for the summer outing.

Among the first to leave town will be the Arthur Hollands, who on Monday start to drive down to their new country home in the Santa Cruz mountains, near Boulder Creek. It is a most artistic and picturesque home, built under the personal supervision of Mrs. Holland, who spent some time this spring directing the work.

Mrs. Holland is planning to make many of her friends very welcome in her picturesque country home this summer, and included in her house parties will be Captain and Mrs. Joseph Mathews, Mr. Jack Mathews, Herbert and Anita Thomson.

Judge and Mrs. S. P. Hall and family leave on Saturday for their country home at Felton, and Miss Charlotte Hall will have young friends with her almost all summer.

Mrs. Edgar Bishop went down to Ben Lomond early in the week to arrange for opening the country home there, and the house parties will include Doctor Alderson, Miss Anita Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Oliver.

Near the Edgar Bishops is the country home of the E. A. Herons. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Heron left for Ben Lomond this week.

Mrs. Kutz and Miss Kitty Kutz are going to Rowardennan for a month this summer, and Mrs. Russell and Miss Gertrude Russell have changed their minds about going to Santa Monica, and are going to Rowardennan instead.

Mrs. Horace Hussey and Miss Evelyn Hussey are there now, so there will be a merry coterie of Oakland people, in that picturesque section of the Santa Cruz mountains.

THE HOGANS AT SUNOL.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hogan and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hogan and their families have taken a large country home in Sunol, and they will spend two months in that restful country place.

They have taken horses and surreys, and they expect to take long drives

every day along pleasant country roads.

WILL TAKE A TRIP.

Mr. William Sanborn and Miss Grace Sanborn will leave in a few days for an extended visit to the Grand Canyon of the Colorado.

Miss Sanborn has been very ill indeed, but she is now much better, and the proposed trip will quite restore her to health.

YACHTING AND AUTOMOBILING.

Yachting and automobiling are among the favorite out door activities of the season. A merry party went out for an expedition on the bay in the sloop "Alert" last week.

The yacht was sailed by Thomas Kendall, assisted by Herbert Thomson and Jack Mathews.

Near where the yacht anchored was the Russian cruiser Lena. The Russians were to have joined the boat races, but the news of the naval defeat in the far East came, and there was mourning on board the Lena.

There was a pathetic picture in the early morning. The flag floated at half mast on the Lena, and the entire crew in the early morning, sang memorial hymns for their departed comrades. These Russians are far from home, and the news from their country is not encouraging.

WILL GO TO SANTA BARBARA.

Santa Barbara will represent the destination of many people this summer. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Folger and their little daughters leave for Santa Barbara and they are planning to spend a month at the Hotel Pötter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and their children leave for Santa Barbara also on Saturday. They will take a furnished house, and will spend two months in the quaint Southern city.

Mr. and Mrs. George McNear will go for a short trip to Santa Barbara. Miss Ernestine McNear and Miss Albertine Detrick have spent the past year at Miss Gamble's school in Santa Barbara.

CHERRY PICNICS.

"Cherry picnics" are the order of the hour. Mrs. Horry Meek entertained the members of the Cosmos Club last week at her home in San Lorenzo. It is surrounded by a fine old cherry orchard, and the usual card game was supplemented by a cherry picnic. Last week also Miss Harriet Stone entertained thirty-one of her young girl friends at a cherry picnic, at the Stone country place near Elmhurst.

Miss Stone was assisted in entertaining her guests by Miss Havemeyer. Miss Stone and Miss Havemeyer have attended Miss Murison's school in San Francisco this year, and several of the guests at the picnic were from across the bay.

LONG TRIPS.

Long trips in automobiles will occupy many of the summer days. The party to go farthest afield will, of course be the Dunns and the A. A. Moores, Jr.

Automobile trips on the continent are favorite diversions of the New York Smart Set, and San Francisco sent out two or three parties this spring, among them the Rudolph Spreckels, Miss Jolliffe and James D. Phelan. The Moores, with Miss Jacqueline Moore and Doctor Dunn, had a long trip once before on the continent, but of course it could not possibly be as interesting as a long automobile trip, through quaint country districts in the rural districts of Europe.

Among the automobilists who each week plan long trips to near by cities are the Wickham Havens, the Robert Knights, the Frank Brighams, the Elseys, the Schillings, the Will Ralsons and the Burnhams.

The one objection to automobilism is that usually one is such a fright. The ordinary person in a cap and veil and goggles is "a spectacle." There is one objection to the usual rule, and that is Mrs. Oscar Luning. Mr. Luning has an automobile that easily passes anything on the road, and he is far and away the most skillful driver in town.

Mrs. Luning is a picture as she sits beside him, in the latest and swiftest of Parisian automobile coats, the Parisian automobile cap kept on by a veil, in bright tones of red.

The Lunings are very generous to their friends, and they entertain them often in exceedingly enjoyable automobile trips.

Mr. Luning will greatly enjoy his automobile in the summer days at Cloverdale.

Miss Charlotte Elsey is to entertain a friend from Los Angeles, and she is arranging some pleasant automobile trips for her.

And so it goes—the great world of Out Doors is calling, and we must answer. Happy is it for every one

who can, and especially for those who go forth "To find sermons in stones, and good in everything."

THE MEDDLER.

BENEFIT CONCERT.

The benefit concert tendered to Miss Margie Louise Webber will take place Wednesday evening, June 7, at Reed Hall. Miss Webber will be assisted by Mrs. John W. Metcalf, Miss Hilma A. Buttlar and others.

The program includes:

- 1 (a) Caratina
- (b) Pages' Song from Figaro's Marriage
- (c) Just Awearyin' For You
- 2 Monologue: Gossip at the Seaside
- 3 (a) Villanelle
- (b) Irish Folk Song
- (c) Because She Kissed It
- 4 Polanais o. 57
- 5 (a) At Nightfall
- (b) Until You Came
- (c) Sea Dreams
- (d) Absent
- 6 Scenes from the "Jewess"
- 7 (a) Caratina, from Der Freischütz
- (b) Slumber Boat

Miss Hilma Buttlar

Miss Webber, accompanied by the composer, Mr. J. W. Metcalf

Miss Buttlar

The patronesses include: Mrs. J. B. Hume, president Ethel Society; Mrs. Frances H. Gray, president of the Oakland Club; Mrs. Allen G. Freeman, Mrs. Charles M. Fore, Mrs. W. S. Palmer, Mrs. J. G. Allen, Mrs. John D. Isaacs, Mrs. E. B. Sanborn, Mrs. E. H. Marwede, Mrs. L. L. Bromwell, Mrs. R. W. Edwards, Mrs. Spencer Riley, Mrs. W. W. Henry of Berkeley, Mrs. Henry Wetherbee, Mrs. Fred Kahn, Mrs. Valentine G. Hush, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mrs. W. D. Huntington, Mrs. C. J. Heeseman, Mrs. Bert Lissner.

The committee of arrangements includes Mrs. H. W. Adams, chairman; Mrs. Howard L. Whitehead, Mrs. Augusta Wilson, Mrs. D. B. Chase, Mrs. Earl Fox, Mrs. Dr. Plum, Miss Grace Kidwell, Mrs. Edith Edwards, Mrs. Champion, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kryster, Prof. James W. Pierce, Mr. W. B. Standeford, Mr. Bert Lissner, Mr. H. W. Adams, Mr. Fred Kahn, Mr. R. W. Edwards, Mr. C. J. Heeseman, Mr. Norman Kidwell.

DINNER FOR DIRECTORS.

Over fifty people were present last evening at the dinner given by Superintendent Sanders, of the State Home for the Blind, in honor of the directors of that institution.

The directors include John P. Irish, George E. Randolph, J. Walter Scott, H. C. Capwell and Sol Kahn. Mr. Kahn is in Europe, and was the only member absent.

Short speeches were delivered by a number of those present. The speakers took for their subject the development of the home since the time of its opening, and spoke of the beneficial work which is being done by the institution.

Among those present were Judge Wells, George Meredith and wife, Dr. Rowell and wife, W. G. Palmanteer and wife, Frank A. Leach and wife, Samuel Gray, wife and son, E. O. Allen, Dr. Frank Hus, John P. Irish Jr., Frances Irish, Miss O. O. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fletcher, Mrs. M. Goodrig and daughter, Mr. T. A. Williston, George S. Sanders and Floyd Jay.

ENTERTAIN FRIENDS.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Hanchett entertained last Tuesday at a delightful luncheon for Mrs. Will Lynch of Salt Lake. The table was decorated with a profusion of sweet peas and ferns, and after the luncheon there was a musical program.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Lynch, Mrs. F. Taylor, Mrs. Merle Lynch, Miss Aileen Lynch, Miss Carthy, Miss Helen Lynch, Mrs. J. Clabby, Miss Bessie Crissman, Joe Carthy, Arnold Hanchett, Dr. and Mrs. Hanchett.

The same host and hostess will entertain a party of friends this evening at an elaborate dinner planned for Dr. and Mrs. S. R. Rood of San Diego.

IN THE SOUTH.

Miss Marguerite Fleming, with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lamontague, leaves for the South June 3, where they expect to spend an enjoyable time with friends in Los Angeles and San Diego.

HONORED GUEST.

Mrs. W. J. Lancaster entertained with a "Chinese shower" for Miss Jeanne Chrestoffen, whose engagement was announced recently.

Sewing passed away the time until the honored guest was called upon to

open the many gifts which had been brought to her. After this very pleasant diversion, refreshments were served, covers being laid for Miss Jeanne Christoffersen, Miss Anita Hubbard, Miss Olive Orton, Miss Ruby Orton, Mrs. Robert Vernon Campbell, Miss Alma Holm, Miss Gertrude Kimball, Miss Lillian Christoffersen, Miss Mabel Dixon, Mrs. F. McMath, Mrs. C. Lancaster, Mrs. E. Lancaster, Miss Alicia George and the hostess.

A WEDDING.

The marriage of Herbert A. Stout and Miss Alice M. Nickerson, daughter of Mrs. A. L. Nickerson, of 1076 Eighteenth street, took place Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother.

The service of the Episcopal Church was read by the Rev. Charles Walker.

The house was beautifully decorated by the young lady friends of the bride.

The day window where the bridal couple stood was converted into a veritable bower of ferns and delicate pink blossoms. The library and dining-rooms were in red and green.

Mr. Stout is a graduate of the '05 class of the U. C., and was a member of the Bonham and Intercollegiate debating teams, and is a young man of unusual ability.

The bride is a talented and accomplished musician, and is a great favorite among the younger set. After a honeymoon trip of two months Mr. and Mrs. Stout will reside at 1076 Eighteenth street.

FOR BRIDE-ELECT.

Miss Carmen Sutton was hostess yesterday at a delightful luncheon for twenty guests, Miss Bessie Haven being the complimented guest. The table was decorated with bridesmaid roses, and a garland of pink tulips ended in a lover's knot at Miss Haven's place. The name cards were tiny wedding bells.

After the luncheon a game of five hundred was enjoyed, the prizes going to Miss Katherine Brown and Miss Ruth Houghton. Covers were laid for Miss Cornelia Stratton, Miss Bonnie Downing, Miss Edith Downing, Miss Jessie Craig, Miss Letty Barry, Miss Edie Wade, Miss Elsa Schilling, Miss Sevilla Hayden, Miss Clarisse Lohse, Miss Noelle de Golia, Miss Fanny Plaw, Miss Rose Kales, Miss Ann McElrath, Miss Ruth Houghton, Miss Marion Walsh, Miss Carolyn Palmanteer, Miss Haven, Miss Katherine Brown and the hostess.

Miss Haven and her fiancé were the honored guests at a dinner planned Thursday by Thornton White. Covers were laid for Miss Haven, Miss Ruth Houghton, Miss Katherine Brown, Miss Pansy Perkins, Miss Charlotte Hall and Messrs. Rudolph Schilling, Shirley Houghton, Cleve Baker and Elfron Hall.

Miss Pansy Perkins will entertain this evening at a dinner for this popular bride-to-be at a dinner and dance at the Claremont Country Club.

HOME WEDDING.

The marriage of Miss Victorine Cogley and Laurence O'Rourke was solemnized Thursday evening at the O'Rourke home on Myrtle street. Rev. Father Lally of San Jose officiated, and the impressive marriage service was read under a floral bower of white sweet peas, arranged with ribbons and pink tulips. None but relatives attended the ceremony, which was followed by an informal reception.

The bride wore a pretty gown of white silk crepe and was attended by Miss Bradford of San Francisco. Dr. Painter acted as best man.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Rourke will occupy their new home at Piedmont after a brief honeymoon.

ENJOY TRIPS.

Miss Jean Lunderback has gone on an extended visit to the East, and is enjoying a delightful stay with friends.

Miss Catherine Shannon has gone to Europe for a year's study and travel, and will spend much of her time in Germany.

AUTO TRIPS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cotton and Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hubbard are going to Santa Cruz to the auto meet.

Mr. and Mrs. George Humphrey have returned from an automobile trip as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Al Merritt.

WEDDING DATE.

The marriage of Miss True Alken to Mr. Charles Frank Stern of Eureka will take place Monday evening, June 13, at the residence of Mr. Alexander

Martin, grandfather of the bride-to-be.

The wedding will be a quiet home affair attended only by relatives. The ceremony will be followed by a three weeks' honeymoon and the young people will be in their new home at Eureka after July 15.

Miss Alken is a member of the class of '04 of the State University, and is one of the most popular members of the Gamma Phi Beta Sorority. She possesses a contralto voice of rare sweetness and promise, and has sung at the Sunday concerts in the Greek Theater, and has been a soloist at clubs and musical recitals in this city and across the bay.

The groom-elect is also of the class of 1904, and is a prominent member of the Delta Upsilon, Winged Helmet and Golden Bear. He was one of the Carnot debaters, and has taken a prominent part in college politics and Settlement work. Since leaving college he has become identified with the Humboldt Commission Company, one of Eureka's largest wholesale firms.

MRS. SHARON AT HOME.

Mrs. W. E. Sharon entertained yesterday afternoon at a most informal little gathering at her Piedmont home an informal luncheon preceding a jolly afternoon's chat. The guests were eight old friends, who, many years ago, were classmates at Mills College. A delightfully reminiscent hour was spent about the cozy table, and many old friendships were renewed, the meeting being the first in many years.

GAVE A LUNCHEON.

Mrs. William S. Goodfellow was the hostess on Wednesday at an informal luncheon given at her home in East Oakland, an impromptu musicale following the discussion of the menu. Covers were laid for Mrs. F. C. Cooper, Mrs. Helen Waitman, Mrs. John L. Boden, Miss Jean Downey, Miss Lillian Downing, Miss Marion Goodfellow, Miss Mary Morse and several others.

AT LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Pierre Olney entertained recently at an enjoyable luncheon given at her home on Moss avenue. The guests included Mrs. George M. Shaw, Mrs. F. T. McHenry, Mrs. W. S. Baxter, Mrs. Florence Wells, Mrs. J. R. Scupham and Mrs. T. H. Gayles.

COMPANY A DANCE.

Company A. N. G. C., will give an inspection and dance Monday evening at Maple Hall.

The social committee includes First Lieutenant Curtis C. Covell, Second Lieutenant C. A. Sullivan, Sergeant N. J. Everett, Privates L. F. Anderson, Garwood, St. Elmo M. Powell. Reception committee: C. A. Sullivan, Sergeant Covell, Sergeant E. O. Williams, Privates Shaeffer and Torr. Floor committee: Private L. C. Drappeau, floor manager, assisted by M. J. Everett.

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

The Summit Club announces a whist tournament to be given June 14 at Maple Hall. Twenty valuable prizes are offered, and are on exhibition in Heeseman's window.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Clement Schuster and family have gone to Bear River, near Auburn, for the summer.

Mrs. Lillie T. Yates will leave in a few days for an extended Eastern trip. The Misses Ida and Jennie Thompson of East Oakland leave for Seligier Hot Springs the early part of next week.

Mrs. John A. Macdonald and children, Archibald, Russell and Andros, leave for a two months' outing in Sonoma county.

A. F. Baumgartner and family will leave on June 3 to spend two months at McCrays, near Cloverdale.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Bolster were visiting friends in Suisun this week. Mr. Bolster was formerly pastor of the Fairfield M. E. Church, and his many friends in Fairfield, Suisun and vicinity were glad to welcome him and his estimable wife.

Mrs. L. H. Herling is the guest of Mrs. M. Graf at St. Helena.

R. E. Bonsfield is stopping at Hotel Vance in Eureka, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hinch returned from Eureka a few weeks ago, where they were visiting their relatives.

Judge Snook went to Modesto last week on business connected with the Cogswell estate.

Edward A. Holman, attorney-at-law, was at Point Richmond last week looking up some matters for the heirs of the late David P. Taylor, who committed suicide.

Mrs. S. D. Deekard was visiting friends in Fresno last week.

N. C. Bennett was visiting in Suisun last week.

Mrs. J. Lutz went to Porterville last week to visit her husband. Mrs. Leech was in Gilroy last week visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Reither.

Mrs. Woodward and children have gone to their cottage in Santa Cruz to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Scott will leave next Wednesday on a visit to the Portland Fair.

Among the Oakland people who are going to McCrays this year are Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schrock, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Morse, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Weilbye.

Mrs. Will Meek has returned to her Santa Lorenzo home after spending the winter at Antioch.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lynham

BRIGHT'S DISEASE

Many people who are neglecting symptoms of kidney trouble, hoping "it will wear away," are drifting towards Bright's Disease, which is kidney trouble in one of its worst forms.

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If you have any signs of Kidney or Bladder trouble commence taking FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE at once, as it will cure a slight disorder in a few days and prevent a fatal malady. It is pleasant to take and benefits the whole system.

How to Find Out.

You can easily determine if your kidneys are out of order by setting aside for 24 hours a bottle of the urine passed upon arising. If upon examination it is cloudy or milky or has a brick-dust sediment or small particles float about in it, your kidneys are diseased, and FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE should be taken at once.

G. B. Burhans Testifies After Four Years.

G. B. Burhans of Oakville Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of any of those symptoms during the four years that have passed, and I am evidence of the fact that I am cured, and I am evidence of the fact that I am cured, and I am evidence of the fact that I am cured."

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Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington.

Shiels, with the children and Mrs. Shiels' mother, Mrs. C. A. Bennet, leave next week for Blue Lakes, where they have taken a cottage for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Wingate will spend the summer in the north, where Mr. Wingate's mine is located.

NOT AS BAD AS A WARSHIP

TOKIO, June 3, 7.30 p. m.—The Governor of Hiroshima province telegraphs that the earthquake which took place on June 2 killed six people, wounded seventy-nine and destroyed thirty-three houses in Hiroshima and Ujima. The reports from other affected districts are incomplete, but it is believed that the loss of life and the destruction of property has been comparatively slight. The first shocks of the earthquake destroyed the telegraph system, which besides making it impossible to communicate with the earthquake district, cut off Tokyo from Western Japan and the rest of the world, which created an impression that some great disaster had taken place.

MAY ABOLISH ALL PIECE WORK

NEW YORK, June 3.—Conferences are being held here between officials of the Erie Railroad and representatives of the company's machinists over propositions by the latter looking to the abolition of piece work in the shops. There are more than 1000 members of the International Association of Machinists affected by the order which was recently promulgated. Agents of the union assert that the system of piece work creates peace-makers and militates against workmen who are not exceptionally quick.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR HIM.

It may be some consolation for Susan E. Sperry to feel that at all events she is spared the recollection of having voted for Grover Cleveland.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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AWARD CONTRACTS FOR WORK

BOARD OF EDUCATION ACCEPTS LOWEST BIDS FOR WASH. INGTON SCHOOL.

At the meeting of the Board of Education last night it was deemed advisable to let the contracts for the building of the Washington School to a variety of bidders, owing to the fact that the aggregate of the lowest bids submitted to construct the different parts of the building was less by about \$10,000 than the lowest bid received to do the whole building. Following is the report of the Committee on Schoolhouses and Sites, to whom the bids were referred, and which was unanimously adopted. The total for which the building will be erected is \$55,982, and it is expected that it will then cost in the neighborhood of \$72,000 to furnish and complete. The report was as follows:

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

"Your Committee on Schoolhouses and Sites recommend that the following contracts be awarded for the construction of certain parts of the Washington School building, to be located on Shattuck street near Sixteenth street:

"That the brick and stone work be awarded to P. J. Walker on his bid of \$20,795.

"That the structural steel work be awarded to the Jackson Manufacturing Company on a bid of \$5,551.

"That the fire-proofing work be awarded to the Roebeling Construction Company for the sum of \$5,545.

"That the galvanizing iron and roofing work be awarded to the Pacific Ref. Roofing Company for the sum of \$794.

"That the plaster work be awarded to William Mahady for the sum of \$5,551.

"That the marble and tiling work be awarded to the Columbus Marble Company for the sum of \$369.84.

"That the plumbing be awarded to the Ingram Hardware Company for the sum of \$1,567.

"That the carpenter work be awarded to H. E. Brown & Co. for the sum of \$15,821.

"That the painting and tinting be awarded to W. H. Blake for the sum of \$1,511.

"We further recommend that the furnishing of the labor necessary for the painting of the 'Temescal School' be awarded to P. G. Nichols on his bid of \$750.

"We further recommend that other bids for the construction of the Washington School and for painting of certain school buildings be rejected and checks returned to the proper parties."

ARRIVALS AT THE RESORTS

AT HOTEL TUXEDO.
List of late arrivals at Hotel Tuxedo, Santa Cruz Mountains. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lucas, Honolulu, T. H.; Mr. H. Koerner, Mark West Springs, Cal.; Mr. T. S. Tarbell, Binghampton, New York; Mr. T. T. Gibson, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mr. H. I. Bettis, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pierce, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. E. S. Phillips, Klamath Falls, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Donovan, Provo, Utah; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hadley, Oakland, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Baagrow, Oakland, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Randie, Richmond, Indiana; Mr. H. G. Howell, Howell, Mr. L. B. Morris, Mr. Robert Lorentz, Mr. A. Ludwig, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence T. Wagner, Mr. August W. Lamm, Mr. John J. Paxson, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Baagrow, Mr. August Eggert, Mr. Charles Wagner, Miss Annie Steveler, Mrs. J. Steveler, Mr. W. C. Hollway, Mr. L. T. Wendell, Mr. W. S. Taffender, Master Rafael Lake, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Kerner, Miss M. W. Truesdell, Miss Wayland, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Topli, San Francisco, Cal.

AT BYRON SPRINGS.

The list of prominent arrivals at Byron Hot Springs is as follows:

From San Francisco. Mr. D. Cameron, Mr. P. F. Nolan, F. Nolan, S. F. Nolan, Mrs. L. W. Howard, Mrs. A. M. Burns, Mrs. L. H. Hoag, Mrs. J. H. Long, Mr. P. E. Butler, Mr. G. M. Trumble, Mrs. B. Lampert, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haman, Miss Marien Froelich, Mr. Edward Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. J. de la Monte, Mr. John J. Paxson, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Abbott, Mr. W. N. Naughton, Mr. G. W. Reid, Mr. Albert H. Mahan, Mr. Charles G. Graham, Miss Augusta D. Ames, Mr. Ito Thompson, Mrs. E. L. Hunt, Mrs. H. R. Boswick, Mr. H. C. Hunt, Mr. Arthur Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Martin and child, Mr. F. B. Twipin, Mr. J. Slendel, Mr. T. Sadleir, Mr. S. Aronson, Mr. T. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kerr, Dr. and Mrs. William W. Kerr, Mr. Iram de Joseph, Mr. Joseph M. Strauss, Mr. Charles Robinson, Mr. J. Corrie, Miss D. Kramer, Mrs. R. H. Wood, Miss Helen Wood, Miss Lillian Malm, Mrs. A. Franklin, Mr. Maxwell McNutt, Mr. J. A. Moreland, Mrs. J. A. Moreland, Mr. J. H. Willis.

Point Reyes, Marin county.—Mr. Frank Lutz.

Lathrop and Stockton.—Mrs. E. T. Salmon, Mrs. F. D. Arnold, Mr. C. E. Ennis, Mrs. Wilson, Mr. M. P. Marks, Mr. M. F. Santos, Mr. Nobis Powell, Berkeley.—Mr. John P. Robertson, Mr. J. P. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Blake, Miss Haight, Mr. Sam McKee, Mr. and Mrs. William Bactus, Mr. Emil Bactus, Mr. J. S. Kelsey, Mrs. J. L. Kelsey, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Kelsey.

From Arena.—Mr. Lewis B. Hall, Mr. Rafael—Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Allen, Mr. J. A. Fornestead, Miss Augustine.

From London.—A. Nickells Jr., Oakland.—Miss A. Nickells, Mrs. M. A. Colly, Miss E. C. Loebowman, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. James J. Day.

From Newman.—Mr. Henry Stoffen, From Fresno.—Mr. Frank Brifton, From Sacramento.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burns.

From New York.—Mr. J. C. Cuny, From Oakland.—Mr. C. J. Kay, Mr. C. R. Turner.

From Honolulu.—Mr. Thomas McLean.

From Portkill.—Mr. H. L. Torlane, Merced.—Mr. J. M. Sango, Mr. A. M. Vallega.

Valley.—Mr. Effie B. Hall, From Los Angeles.—Mr. L. M. Breed, From Tacoma.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

From Mexico.—Mr. H. C. Frank, Eureka.—Mr. C. W. Taylor, From San Francisco.—Mr. S. M. Lassell, From Los Banos.—Mr. G. Etchenanday.

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When the "star's" time had arrived, instead of that eagerly expected individual, the perspiring manager came before the curtain holding a telegram in his hand. "Ladies and gentlemen," he said, "I regret to have to inform you that the 'Great Gasser' cannot (storm of hisses) possibly arrive for at least another quarter of an hour (great applause). In the meantime, the band will play you a selection."

There was dead silence for a moment, and then a small boy in the gallery shrieked out: "Mr. Johnson! Mr. Johnson! Don't let the band play, sir; we will be quiet, we will, indeed, sir!" From the Auckland (N. Z.) News.

Was Not His Ideal.

"At the Whistler exhibition in London," said a tourist, "I had a chat with Joseph Pennell, the well-known artist. Pennell had spent his boyhood in Germantown with me, and so we talked of our old Germantown friends. We talked of a boy who had become an artist and married a rich woman. 'Pennell said this chap was not altogether happy. He said he would tell me a story about him that would reveal subtly, in a Henry James manner, the cause of his unhappiness.'"

"A stranger visited the man's studio one day, and paused, full of wonder, before a life-size, full-length picture of a woman in a white Greek dress. 'Is this,' said the stranger, in a tone of amazement, 'your ideal?' 'No,' the artist answered, 'it's my wife.'"—New Orleans States.

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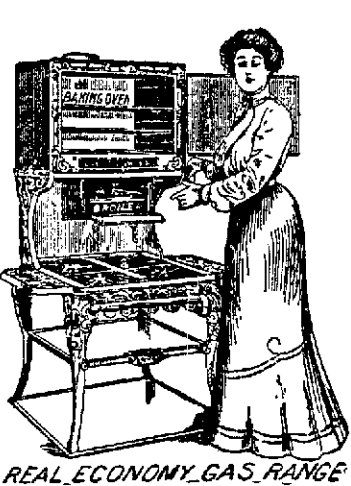
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LANDERS STEVENS, WHO WILL PLAY THE KING AT YE LIBERTY NEXT WEEK.

Luscombe Searle, will be seen in this city. It is remarkable that in a city of this size that any attraction is of sufficient strength to warrant it being played five weeks, yet the public demand for this beautiful poetic story of Esther has been so great that the management is justified in bringing it back for one more final week. The cast will be the strongest that has been seen in the play since the opening week, as Frank MacVicar has entirely recovered from his illness and will be seen again in his wonderful portrayal of Mordecai, and George Woodward will once more play Harbador, the old man who did dwell in Koos.

But the most important change of all is in the role of King Ahasuerus, which will be played by Landers Stevens instead of J. H. Gilmour. Mr. Stevens played the part last night at the Majestic theater, and was given the highest praise by every one in the large audience. His interpretation is somewhat different from Gilmour's, but vastly more pleasing. He is not the stern, hard creature, but the true man moved to higher, nobler and better deeds through the wonderful influence of love, and a firm belief in God. His King is more virile, human and likeable and it is confidently expected that he will make all who see him in the role forget Mr. Gilmour. Miss Adele Block will again be seen as Esther, the role she created, "Mizpah" will be continued all of next week, with the usual matinees on Saturday and Sunday. Everyone who has seen the play should see it again next week and discover how much there really is in the character of the King.

THE BELL.

For next week the Bell Comedy

Company, headed by Messrs. Potter, Mendell and Burn, will introduce a new and laughable sketch, in which will appear twenty pretty girls in an Indian maid dance. The management has provided elaborate stage setting and electrical effects for the production. The bill this week has proved an attractive one. The usual performance this evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening. On next week's program there will appear The La Dalls, in an act which introduces a breakaway chain and breakaway ladders. La Toska, a bicycle rider, Howell and Emerson, singers and dancers; Bartlett and Collins, sketch artists and laugh makers, will contribute to the success of next week's program.

IDORA PARK.

Idora Park will be the scene of fifteen days of joy, beginning next Monday evening at 7:30, when the Summer Carnival opens. This is a monster attraction.

The regular program at the park will be carried out tomorrow, including the free theater, open-air acts, slide for life and promenade concert by the Idora Park Band, under the leadership of Mr. Callaghan.

The Carnival Company which opens Monday is a gigantic amusement enterprise that is acknowledged by press and public to be the standard of excellence, whose fame and success has been founded on merit and recognized as one of the few really great amusement institutions of the day.

EMPIRE THEATER.

An attractive bill of vaudeville is being given this week at the Empire theater. The Midgott Trio is proving a great favor. Bryan and Blanche have found favor with the audiences. The character studies of Thomas Elmore are well done and true to life.

For next week the management has booked a number of star attractions. The Lartoo Twins Trio have been secured for a return engagement, and their feats on the horizontal bar, and other gymnastic feats, will probably again please. Next week will positively be the last week of the trio in California. A singing and talking team is down on next week's program, and Jean King will play a return engagement with his educated dog. There will be a new set of motion pictures.

NOVELTY THEATER.

Crowded houses have been the rule this week at the Novelty. There will be the usual matinee and evening performances tonight and tomorrow, and on Monday Howard Thurston will make his initial bow to an Oakland audience, as one of the features to a new bill. He comes here with a reputation, being a clever magician. There will be new motion pictures and illustrated songs, and, in fact, the bill will be up to the standard set by the Novelty. Throughout next week there will always be at least one day performance and two evening shows, with extra entertainments Saturday, Sunday and holidays.

THE DEWEY.

On Monday evening, June 12, the Dewey theater will open under a new management, when Weston and Herbert's vaudeville company will make its first appearance in Oakland. The company will include an all-star stock company of twelve people. They will play the farce-comedy, "Mister Doolley." There will be entire new acts and costumes. There will be two performances nightly from 8 to 9:30 and from 9:30 to 11, with matinees on Wednesdays at 3 p. m., and Saturdays

THE ALCAZAR.

"Judah," the famous Henry Arthur Jones play, at the Alcazar next week, is one of the most powerful and intense of the period. The sensational success which it brought the English actor, E. S. Willard, is a matter of stage history. It proved equally profitable in this country and in England, and when Mr. Willard returned to America the past season, "Judah" aroused the enthusiasm of a decade ago, when his newer offerings failed to attract. "Judah" is tremendously intense and dramatic and its story of spiritualism and hypnotism is even more interesting now than when the play was first produced, for the growth of interest in psychological phenomena is steadily progressive.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Florence Stone and the Ferris company will give their last performances tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon and night at the Grand Opera House, the program for which will be "Camille," with Miss Stone in the title role.

Monday night the popular comedian, Barney Bernard, will begin an engagement of one week. He will appear in H. D. Cottrell's comedy, "The Financier," which has been considerably revised and improved upon since its last production here. Mr. Bernard will be supported by his own company, which is composed of artists specially selected for their fitness for their respective roles. The production will be under the direction of George E. Laak, a fact which is a sufficient guarantee for its excellence and completeness. Next week will positively be Mr. Bernard's farewell to San Francisco, and probably some time will elapse before he appears again in this city, where he is highly esteemed, not only for his great ability as an actor, but also for his many good qualities as a man.

THE CENTURY MAGAZINE.

"The Chateaux of Touraine" is the title of one of the leading articles in the June number of The Century Magazine, which is published by the Century Company, Union Square, New York. The article is most interesting and will give one a very good idea of the old French Chateaux. This article is written by Richard Whiting, author of "No. 5 John Street," "The Yellow Van," etc. There is also an article of "The Piercing of the Simpson," the longest tunnel in the world, by Desher Welch. It is accompanied by photographs showing the different entrances of the great tunnel, and the different roads over the pass. Gilbert H. Grosvenor has written an article on "Our Heralds of Storm and Flood," being an account of the various activities of the United States Weather Bureau in saving life and property. The article is most interesting and contains many illustrations.

EVERYBODY'S MAGAZINE.

The June number of Everybody's Magazine contains an article entitled "Frenzied Finance," the story of a gamer, by Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston. There are many other interesting articles which may be mentioned, such as "The Words of the Wise," "Experiences of a Nursery Governess," "The Greatest Trust in the World," "The Sovereign Enchantment," "Fortunato's Ride Through Society," and "Little Stories of Real Life." Published by the Ridgway-Thayer Company, Union Square, New York.

THE RED BOOK.

The Red Book for June contains an illustrated article on "Personal Philanthropy" by Arthur F. McFarlane. "The Passing of the Veteran" is the title of another very interesting article. This number contains many illustrations which will prove interesting to the most casual reader. There is also an article on "Some Dramas of the Day" by Acton Davies, accompanied by illustrations. Published by The Red Book Corporation, 163-164 State street, Chicago.

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LITERARY

Some Things That Are Good to Read.

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THE BOOKLOVER'S MAGAZINE.

The June issue of the Booklovers' Magazine contains many interesting articles. The issue is profusely illustrated, having many drawings and photographs by some of the well-known artists. "The Modern Battleship," the latest types of ships of the line, is a very interesting article, as well as "General Whitaker Pennybaker," the Governor now most in the public eye. This last mentioned article is accompanied with portraits and cartoons. Nathan P. Stauffer has written an article on "The issue of the magazine on 'College Bawling in America.' Other articles in this issue which may be mentioned as particularly good are: "Expert Views on the Foreign Trade," a series of Washington interviews by Harold Eole and "Notable American Illustrators in Their Studios," by W. M. Vander Weyde, and "The Decadence of an Old Canal," by Frederick H. Gould. Published by the Library Publishing Company, 1233 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY.

The Atlantic Monthly, published by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston, for June contains a score or more of interesting literary discussions, and some of the best-known writers in the country have contributed to this issue of the Atlantic Monthly, making it one of the most interesting magazines of the season.

MEDICAL TALK.

Medical Talk for the month of March contains many articles relative to the health. It treats with some of the most common diseases which people are troubled with and gives suggestions how to avoid them. Some of the most interesting articles in this number which may be mentioned are: "Bred in the Country," "An Old-Fashioned Tonic," "How to Treat a Horse," "Bacteria and Typhoid Fever," "Getting an Education," and "Defenders of Our Public Schools." Published by the Medical Talk Publishing Company, Columbus, O.

THE LITERARY DIGEST.

One of the most interesting articles in the Literary Digest for the week of May 20 is "President Roosevelt to the Chicago Strikers," and another very interesting article is "Commencing Niagara." In the column of Letters and Art there appears "Shaw's Impassioned Shakespeare," "The Revolution of the Spirit in French Literature," and other interesting topics, all in the Science and Invention column. The articles on "The Disappearance of the Soli," "Modern Medicine in Antiquity," "How the Earth Has Solidified," and "Mixed Races of Europe." Published by Funk & Wagnalls Company, New York.

THE HOUSE BEAUTIFUL.

The June number of The House Beautiful contains many helpful hints relative to the home and its surroundings. Laura Hayes Fuller has contributed an article on "The Vital Things in the Home," which will prove most interesting to the housewife. "Woman's Bungalow," by Anna Morgan, is another very interesting article. It gives different views of bungalows, and how to make the interior attractive and comfortable. There are also several photographs of window gardens in New York, which will be a source of great help to any one who enjoys working in a garden. Published by Herbert S. Stone, Remondino, Chicago.

LESLIE'S WEEKLY.

Leslie's Weekly for May 25 is the Decoration Day number and special care has been taken to make it a very interesting one. It contains many interesting articles, which will please all who may read them. Those which have been mentioned are: "The House Beautiful," "How Japan Abolished Its Prisoners," by Eleanor Franklin, special correspondent of Leslie's Weekly; "Battleground of Santiago After Seven Years," by Charles M. Harvey, associate editor of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, which tells what Governor Folk of Missouri has accomplished during the first year of his administration; "The Diary of a Domestic Drudge," by Annie Marion MacLean. Another very interesting article appearing in this issue is "Russia's Search for Peace," by August Steiner, war correspondent in Russia. Published by the World Today Company, 156 Fifth avenue, New York.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE.

Harper's Magazine for May 27 contains an article, profusely illustrated, on "Military Maneuvers Above the Clouds," by W. G. Fitz-Gerald. "The Gambler" is the title of another very entertaining article. This number also contains many illustrations which will prove most interesting to the most casual reader. Published by Harper & Brothers, New York.

RECORDS OF THE PAST.

The May number of Records of the Past contains an interesting article on "The Record of the Hearst Expedition in 1903-04," by Dr. George A. Reiser. "An American's Recent Discoveries in Egypt," by Rev. Charles De Wolfe Brodwin, is the title of another very interesting article. This magazine is published by the Records of the Past Exploration Society, 215 Third street, S. E., Washington, D. C.

SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE.

There are so many interesting articles in the June issue of Scribner's Magazine that it is hard to say which stands out pre-eminent. Among those which may be mentioned are: "The Heart of the Matter," by Margaret Bartlett Cable, with illustrations by A. E. Frost; "A Visit to Washington on the Eve of the Civil War," by George P. Fisher; "Some Aspects of the Island of Crete," by Blanche Emily Wheeler, with illustrations drawn from photographs by Jules Guerin; "The Wicked Celestine," by James B. Connolly, accompanied with illustrations by W. J. Aylward; and "The Use of Dogs in War," by Lieutenant Charles Norton Barney of the medical department of the United States army. This issue also contains many short poems, such as "The Mariner," by Charles Henry Webb; "Eleanora," by Margaret Bartlett Cable; "A Child," by Sophie Jewett; and "A Comment," by Frank Preston Smart. Published by Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

PEARSON'S MAGAZINE.

Pearson's Magazine for June contains an article, profusely illustrated, on "The Profession of Getting Hurt," by Theodore Waters. "The Broken Bridge" is the title of another very interesting story by James Workman. The illustrations in this article are by E. M. Brock. Some other very entertaining stories are "The Heart of Hunchback," by Eleanor H. Porter; "The Guarded Treasure," by K. and Hesketh Prichard; "Roosevelt's First Lesson," in Statecraft," by S. Addison Wolf; "What America Needs in Yachting," by Arthur F. Aldridge; and "New York's River Tunnelers," by A. W. Rolker. This last mentioned article is written about the men who are at work in the bed of the East River, laying the giant subway tubes to connect Brooklyn and Manhattan. Published by the Pearson Publishing Company, 220 Astor Place, New York.

AINSLIE'S MAGAZINE.

"The Outgoing of Simeon" is the title of the leading article in the June issue of Ainslie's Magazine. The article will prove most interesting to all who read it. An article entitled "The Deluge," a story of modern finance by S. E. Cushman Phillips, also appears in this number. Some of the short stories which will prove interesting to those who may read them are: "Concerning the Heart's Deep Fates," "The Blood of Black Beauty," "Fingery and the Avey," "By the Fountain," "The Dings of Lambs," "The Platterer," and "Green Devils and Old Maids." Published by Ainslie's Magazine Company, Seventh avenue and Fifteenth street, New York.

THE FOUR-TRACK NEWS.

The June number of the Four-Track



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NEWS OF THE DAY FROM THE SUBURBS

CITIZENS WOULD MAKE TOWN BEAUTIFUL.

Ideas of Improvement Club Men in Berkeley - New Committees Appointed By President.

BERKELEY, June 3.—At the regular meeting of the North Berkeley Improvement Club held last night at the local firehouse M. L. Street reported in behalf of the beautifying committee that the placing of statues and ornaments on the public highways was being considered. Another matter considered by the committee was the adoption of new styles of architecture in the building of residences. The present style of architecture in Berkeley, according to Street, is abominable. The idea of "garden lots" is also receiving considerable attention at the hands of the beautifying committee. This plan is in great vogue in all the larger European cities and is spreading to the United States. The idea is to beautify the vacant lots by planting grasses and flowers, thus beautifying the surrounding neighborhood.

The committee reported through A. L. Ott that the water supply in Berkeley was in some sections of the town inadequate.

A solution of the problem suggested by C. A. Rey, was the requisition of about five chemical engines for fire protection. Rey thought that several fires in Berkeley would have been prevented if the town had owned chemicals. An engine of this variety costs from \$1200 to \$1800 but A. L. Ott, former chief of the fire department thought the expense a good investment.

PUPILS GIVEN DIPLOMAS

GRADUATING EXERCISES AT SAN LEANDRO YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

SAN LEANDRO, June 3.—Graduation exercises took place at the San Leandro public school yesterday afternoon. A large attendance of parents and friends was present, and heard a very excellent program of literary and musical numbers. Mrs. C. E. Lynch, the vice-principal arranged the program and drilled the scholars.

The salutatory address was delivered by Elenore Perry, and the valedictory by Dorothea Force. H. W. Linscott, the principal delivered a stirring address on the need of a higher education. A specialty was made of the music, the upper classes singing a number of selections in a very pleasing manner. Following is the program as rendered:

March, William Moore; opening speech, H. W. Linscott; "Star Spangled Banner," Upper grades; salutatory Elenore Perry; "Sketch of Sheridan," Francis DeCott; "My Old Kentucky Home," Upper grades; "Sheridan's Ride," Emma Kistler; Class Play, Elenore Perry; "Sweet and Low," Upper grades; "Building of the Ship," progressive recitation, class of '05; "Sketch of Life of A. Lincoln," Harriet Haver; Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, recitation, Dorothea Force; presentation of diplomas, Mrs. C. E. Lynch; "Hour of Parting," class of '05; "America," Upper grades.

A FALSE ALARM.

Mrs. S. A. Pratt of this place has found that the box of jewelry supposed to have been stolen from her house a few weeks ago was all the time in a closet on the premises.

On suspicion of having stolen the jewelry, Andrew Jackson was arrested. Nothing could be proved against him, and he was released.

The following letter from Mrs. Pratt is self explanatory:

SAN LEANDRO, June 2, 1905—Editor OAKLAND TRIBUNE:

Dear Sir: I wish you would publish in your paper that the missing box, with contents intact, has been found and that I never for one moment suspected Andrew Jackson of taking it.

Respectfully yours,

MRS. S. A. PRATT.

FUNERAL OF CHILD.

The funeral of Alfred Alvarez, aged one year, took place this morning at the San Leandro Catholic Church. The little one had been drowned Thursday at his home in San Lorenzo by falling accidentally into a tub of water while at play. By the time he was found life was extinct. The body was buried in the Catholic cemetery at San Lorenzo.

LODGE ENTERTAINS.

Nearly 200 were present at the banquet given by the San Leandro Rebekah Circle Thursday evening in Odd Fellows Hall. The sumptuous

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New York Evening Post Man to Lecture on English at State University.



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BERKELEY, June 3.—Hammond Lamont, managing editor of the New York Evening Post, has informed the University authorities that he will be present at the beginning of the summer school session to conduct classes in English and give instruction in the use of the mother tongue in proper fashion.

Lamont is a notable figure in the newspaper world and in the sphere of art and letters. His presence at the session is expected to add greatly to the interest among professors and students with practical knowledge of the practical side of newspaper life.

His lectures on that account are expected to be more lifelike, vivid and of greater interest than those of other lecturers in the field of literary craftsmanship.

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GLORIOUS "FOURTH" COIN AT COLLEGE

Day to Be Celebrated By South Berkeley. Fellowship to Be Had at Southern University.

BERKELEY, June 3.—The Society of Americans of South Berkeley are planning for a Fourth of July celebration this year, the greatest event of its kind ever known in the south and east. At a meeting of the society in Lorin Hall for the purpose of arranging for the celebration a committee including Leo Rogers, M. J. Miles and Dr. M. Rowley was appointed to arrange details.

The committee has already begun preparations. A subscription list has been opened and the committee expects to secure \$500. The celebration will consist of a parade in the forenoon, fireworks in the evening, followed by a dance in Lorin Hall. In the parade there will be numerous floats, representative of the various fraternal organizations and clubs. It is the intention of the committee to arrange a temporary band stand near the center of the business section, where the band will be stationed after the parade and addresses will be delivered.

will have the Union High School on the upper floor for at least one year.

The bids must all be in by 8 o'clock this evening.

The selection of a permanent site for the High is to absorb the attention of the Trustees after everything has been done to settle or the details for the first year. It is expected the Melrose district will be the one favored for the reason that from any part of the Union district the pupils can reach the building there on payment of a 5-cent fare.

NEWS ITEMS.

Clarence Stanley Caldwell, a young business man of Oakland, took a party of friends driving to Fruitvale yesterday morning. They examined the real estate here, and Mr. Caldwell states that he intends soon to erect a home in this beautiful spot.

Eight young girls from the Alameda High School were visiting Miss Coutlar of Fifth avenue, Elmhurst, yesterday. They were entertained at dinner and spent a very pleasant afternoon.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

How Canandaigua Points the Way To The Editor of The World:

In your issue of the 29th, the swollen profits of the gas monopoly, you make some satirical comparisons between New York and Canandaigua. Under ordinary circumstances these would be proper, but have you not forgotten that John Raines lives in that beautiful spot? If a New Yorker takes a drink he must take it in such places, at such times and under such conditions as Mr. Raines of Canandaigua has prescribed. If there is talk of revising the gas insurance or other laws it is necessary to consult Mr. Raines in advance. Assuredly, the Canandaigua standard is as applicable to gas as to liquor.

RUS URBAN.

Brooklyn, May 15.

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Wedding Invitations Sent to His Friends in Alameda Bring the News.

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GOSSIP FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

AVERY MCCARTHY
TO WED AGAIN

Up from Los Angeles comes the news that E. Avery McCarthy is to wed again, his bride-to-be being Susie Howard, daughter of the A. J. Howard of Los Angeles, and sister of Norwood and Volney Howard. This will be as great a shock to hopeful mammas of this section as Howard Huntington's engagement was to the meres of the South. Mr. McCarthy had been eligible for matrimonial purposes ever since the courts separated him from his beautiful wife, who is now Mrs. Moore. It was popularly supposed that he still loved his ex-wife too well to think of giving her a successor. Once in awhile there was a rumor started by the tabbies that Avery McCarthy was wooing this or that society girl, but the tales proved mere titillation. Some time ago Mr. McCarthy deserted San Francisco and went to Los Angeles, opening real estate offices there. He has made lots of money out of several extensive tracts of land which were recently put upon the market by the company of which he is one of the leading financiers. No date for the wedding of Miss Howard and Mr. McCarthy has yet been set, but it will probably be some time this summer.—Town Talk.

WARNING PEOPLE
TO BEHAVE

A lot of nonsense is being written about the importance of observing polite decorum in the presence of Alice Roosevelt. It is said that in St. Louis she was subjected to unwelcome attentions, and now people of other cities are being warned against emulating the vulgar example of the Missourians, who probably felt that she should show them that she was the President's daughter. When she attended the Fair they surrounded her as though she were a freak. But so far no complaint has been made by the young woman. She has said nothing to indicate that it pains her to become the object of interest. Indeed, she seems to love the limelight, for she is ever in it. That it is not hard to keep out of it has been demonstrated by her step-mother, who has given the nation a fine example of becoming modesty. There is no reason why the President's daughter should not get all the enjoyment possible out of her social position. She is a lively, healthy, good-natured, sensible American girl, and the limelight will not prove injurious. Wherever she goes she excites curiosity, and nowhere to such an extent as at the New York Horse Show. Crowds of curious people surrounded her box and gazed into her face. The only discreditable thing done in St. Louis, of which I have heard, occurred in a church. The obsequious congregation is reported to have stood up as a mark of respect when Miss Roosevelt arose to leave, and kept standing until she had made her exit. That is the sort of behavior that she would probably like to resent.—Town Talk.

NOTHING TO BE
PROUD OF

Madame Bavarde is chronicling the social progress of Mrs. Peter Martin through Europe, telling us in glad accents that she had been entertained at a garden-party given by the Crown Prince of Belgium. Madame Bavarde should know that the Court of Belgium is the least exclusive of any in Europe. It is much easier to obtain entrance to a royal garden party in Brussels than to secure tickets to a Veiled Prophets' ball in St. Louis or a Hopkins Art Institute ball in San Francisco. Leopold of Belgium is the most democratic monarch in Europe. Colonel Kowalsky is one of his chums, and a card from the colonel will get you into a garden party or a private dinner at the palace. Leopold has such a bad reputation in Eu-

rope that young men with pretty wives fight shy of his garden parties. Leopold is a veteran dude with daintily groomed whiskers which have been toyed with by the most notorious demimondaines of Paris. He is so fond of his flowing beard that every night his valet ties it up in a bag of pale blue silk to preserve its lustre and prevent the hairs from tangling. Leopold's amours with Cleo de Merode and Liane de Pougy have been the gossip of Europe for years, and there probably never was a more shameless rake in Paris than this same royal profligate.—Town Talk.

THEY'VE BEEN
EDUCATED

It is a pleasure to observe that the local newspapers are writing of Tsu Islands instead of calling them Tushima Islands. Only one, an evening newspaper, reported that Rojstevsky would probably try to pass "the Tushima Islands." That was like saying "Goat Island." I think the local newspaper men learned a lesson from my admonition in the matter of Nanshan. One of the weeklies of this city persisted—and may still persist, for any knowledge of mine to the contrary—in publishing accounts of occurrences in the neighborhood of "Nanshan Hill." I called attention to the fact that "Nan" means south in Chinese and that "Shan" is hill or mountain. The editor thus rebuked was obstinate, however, and the last time I read his paper he was still writing it "Nanshan Hill." I am glad, therefore, that most of the newspapers of San Francisco are printing "Tsu Islands" and not "Tushima Islands." When the schoolmaster is abroad the pupils play hookey.—Town Talk.

MYRON
HOLCOMB

Myron T. Holcomb, capitalist and pietist, whose queer infatuation for the affections of young women to whom he was not entitled, has disappeared effectively and absolutely. This fact must be a great relief to everybody connected with him, and there does not appear to be any sufficient reason why much trouble should be taken to hunt him up.—News Letter.

FILED HER
WILL

The Oakland woman who made her will and then filed it with the County Clerk, so as to escape the importunities of her relatives who insisted upon bothering the life out of her chose a very wise course. She should at least be sure of fairly considerate treatment at the hands of those dear friends who may fancy that they are remembered in the document.—News Letter.

WHEN THEY
HEARD THE NEWS

An occasional correspondent of Los Angeles writes me that the sensation of the season in that city was the announcement, one day last week, of the engagement of Howard Huntington, the only son of Henry E. Huntington, the multi-millionaire and street railway magnate. "The announcement came like a crash of thunder from a sapphire sky," writes my agreeable correspondent, "and was as startling as was that opening war at Pittsburgh Landing on the sixth of April, '62, when Grant and his staff were breakfasting at Mrs. Cherry's, or that ominous rumble that alarmed the gay allied officers at Brussels the night before Waterloo. It was the talk of the clubs and the cafes, of the drawing-rooms and newspaper offices; and the flashes of surprise, indignation, consternation and woe that went from house to house over Home and Sunset wires were of an illuminating and dynamic kind. You must bear in mind that the shock given matchmak-

ing mothers and maidens on a still hunt when young Homer Laughlin married a poor teacher of the Marlborough School, has not ceased its vibrations; and so this last society temblor was of a Mont Pelée kind in its alarming fury and unexpectedness."

BEAUTY
OVERLOOKED

"Who is Miss Green, of Oakland, anyway?" was the most common question, and "Is she rich? Did you ever hear of her before? What's he going so far away from home for? Hasn't he shut the door in the faces of two or three anxious mammas hereabouts?" and "Isn't it supremely shocking?" were fired back and forth with Maxim gun rapidity if not accuracy. Ever and anon a straggling missile, "Is she pretty—I don't think?" went out from some quarter. And that reminds me that beauty does not cut the figure it used to in matrimonial alliances. Young men of large means, you would presume, would select great beauties and high-steppers for their wives. But they generally do not—that is, not for their first wives. You may say that the pretty girls are not as thick as blackberries, or that the elderly rich men take most of them in out of the wet—so to speak. And yet, could Theophile Gautier have had his way, there would be only beautiful women in the world. As a matter of fact, no really pretty Los Angeles girls—and there are at least half a dozen here—have been thrown in young Huntington's way. Three or four attempted camping on his trail, but these were not of fine flavor, face and form. So, what could the poor young man do, but wander forth and throw his lure elsewhere? To be sure, all sorts of contradictions are being handed out; but a young physician who, if the truth were told, brought about the Green-Huntington match, and whose young wife has lately given substantial proof that she is opposed to race suicide, says the engagement is a fact. This leaves Los Angeles with only two rich eligibles among the younger men—Charles Hastings and Alfred Wilcox—neither of whom seems to be anxious to give up his bachelor life. There are lots of fine looking young men in Los Angeles, but they have no money—to burn; or, as the girls say, "They are very nice, but my God! how poor they are!"

AND BERKELEY
CHUCKLES

While Los Angeles is bemoaning its stupidity in not being able to capture Howard Huntington, Berkeley feels that its social aspect has taken on new dignity since a lass in the college town won the heir of the house of Huntington. A dozen of Leslie Green's friends have asked the privilege of helping her make the dainty lingerie and soon there will be sewing to the tune of:

"Needles and pins, needles and pins,
When a girl marries her pleasure begins."

Miss Green is a charming girl and I hear that the Huntington family is delighted at Howard's choice. The young girl is still in her teens, and her aunt, Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, was planning to give her a society season next winter. But now it will be as a bride that San Francisco society will have the pleasure of meeting her, and only a formal bow at that, since the young couple are to live in Los Angeles. Miss Green's sister also made a rich match, with Fred Bixby.

A MODEL
SON

Young Huntington, I hear, is a chip of the old block; that is, he possesses all those fine qualities that endeared the elder Huntington to Uncle Collis, qualities that insure success in the commercial world. It is always business before pleasure with Howard Huntington. Indeed, so devoted to

business has he always been that it is considered surprising that he should be willing to lose time getting married. He has been too busy to mingle with the social push, and that is why Los Angeles girls had no chance at him. For the purpose of indicating how good young Huntington is, it is related that he planned a trip to Europe about a year ago. He made all preparations and was enthusiastic over the prospect. A day or two before the date set for his departure his father entered his office and said, "Well, Howard, I guess we can't spare you. Don't you think you'd better postpone your trip?"

"All right, father," cheerfully replied the heir to millions, and the trip was postponed.—Town Talk.

IT WAS A
DRY WEDDING

The local smart set contracted a mighty thirst at the Turner-Price nuptials, at the Palace. The wedding was an elaborate one but wet goods were strictly taboo. The dry goods display was a notable one, for the bride and her attendants were exquisitely gowned and the fashionable crush present was sartorially satisfying. The Turners are wealthy New Yorkers who have spent the last two winters out here and they have been taken to heart by all the warring sets in our exclusiveness. Until Miss Turner's engagement to Mr. Price of St. Louis was announced she was the special pet of match-making mammas who yearn to mother-in-law a fortune. The advent of Mr. Price of St. Louis was a body blow to their hopes. Mr. Price is reputed very wealthy as riches are counted in St. Louis, so Cupid did not have to act as a fortune-hunter in his case. The fashionables who have entertained them were all invited to the wedding and the Empire Room wore the most elaborate decoration of the season. Mrs. Turner told the decorators and caterers not to give a care about expense but she drew the line when it came to the popping of corks. The good lady wears the blue ribbon and while she does not attempt to convert others to W. C. T. Uism she refuses to hostess an affair with booze even as a side issue. Wherefore the sparkling cup was not passed round at the marriage feast and those who depend on smart weddings for their choice tittle met with dry disappointment. Several men were observed trekking toward the barroom during the festivities and the wineless wedding is still a subject of conversation between drinks.—Town Talk.

MRS. PETER MARTIN'S
FLORAL BOA

A lovely romance now going the rounds of the Eastern newspapers relates to the furore which Mrs. Peter Martin is alleged to have caused by wearing a flower boa in the "San Francisco style." According to the highly imaginative yarn, Mrs. Peter, having conquered this capital of the wild and woolly West, put a flower boa around her lovely neck and bled herself away to gay Paree, where she no sooner exhibited herself on the boulevards than they fairly blossomed with flower boas. The gay Parisiennes ransacked all flower shops, from St. Denis to the heights of Montmartre, for violets, hyacinths and poppies to string around their necks and imitate the fair Americaine. It is possible that some of the Eastern scribes who furnish such rubbish to the newspapers half believe what they write. A good many of them, both male and female, graduate from village newspapers and drift to New York, where they impress their provincialism on the columns to which they have access. They remember vividly the sensation caused by the village banker's wife whenever she appeared on Main street in a few dress, and from this recollection they form their conception of

an American woman on the streets of Paris or London. No one who has had the most cursory glance at the teeming life of those great European cities need be told that the average American tourist makes as little stir there as a pebble dropped into the ocean. Thousands of rich Americans tour Europe annually, and only those of vast wealth, like J. P. Morgan or the Vanderbilts or Astors attract any attention at all. In Europe the social importance of Americans is measured entirely by the length of their purses, and in the comparison of bank accounts Mrs. Peter Martin would not cut an impressive figure among New Yorkers abroad. One has to be a multi-millionaire in New York to be accounted rich. Mrs. Peter Martin's fortune is only moderate even for this comparatively small community. So the story of the San Francisco flower boa and the tremendous flutter caused thereby must be relegated to the limbo of cheap reportorial fakes for which the New York press is chiefly remarkable. And, incidentally, it may be remarked that the flower-boafashion is not San Franciscan at all, but Hawaiian. As every one here knows, the native Hawaiians, male and female, bedeck themselves with natural flowers in lieu of artificial finery, and wear wreaths and garlands wherever they can string them. The fashion is pretty and becoming, and has, besides, for a poverty-stricken people, the great advantage of costing nothing.—Wasp.

CHARITABLE
OAKLAND

While it pauses to draw a long breath between the winter gaiety and the summer outings, Oakland society exerts itself for the good cause of charity. There are many disciples of New Thought across the bay, and they believe that eternal activity is the price of youthfulness. Last week was marked by two big affairs for charity. One was the Oakland Club entertainment at Maple Hall on Friday night, May 26th, for the benefit of the vacation schools. For this affair Mrs. W. S. Palmer, a member of the club, wrote the vaudeville sketch, "The Evolution of an Advertisement," which was the leading feature of the evening. Every ticket was sold in advance, and, as usual when charity calls, Oakland's fashionables lent a willing hand. The other was the May Day fete at Idora Park last Saturday.—Wasp.

PALACE HOTEL
IMPROVEMENTS

It was announced a few days ago that the Palace Hotel contained 150 people in excess of the number it held as guests a year ago. I believe that this is attributed somewhat to the lateness of the season, but that does not altogether explain it. The fact is that it is a big, growing city and travel is continually increasing. The Palace Hotel simply shares in the general prosperity, although I can but suspect that it gets rather more than its share. They tell me that the Sharon Estate Company is really considering the question of putting up two more

stories on the hotel. It cannot be doubted that the landlord feels pained to turn business from his door.—Wasp.

VICISSITUDES
OF OWNERSHIP

Oakland is on the tiptoe of expectation. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Magee have purchased what was known as the old Trowbridge place on Vernon Heights, and a large force of men are at work restoring the grounds and house to something of its old-time staidness and beauty. It was the property of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baldwin, years ago, and was the scene of many a gay bout, when fashionables danced until dawn peeped in at the windows. Later, however, hard times came, and the estate was sold to the Trowbridges, who improved it out of all semblance of the rose-tangled garden and vine covered porch where romance lurked in waiting for the unwary. In their turn the Trowbridges gave up the place on the Heights, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McNear Jr., took possession of it and revived the old spirit of hospitality in a free-handed way. After a time, however, Oakland society palled on them, and they took their Lares and Penates to San Francisco, and again the bats and owls made a home for themselves in the picturesque mansion. The Magees love a country life, and are particularly fond of Oakland, so their new home will absorb their attention. Oakland belles and beaux are hoping that the new tenants may be settled in time to give a series of lawn fetes during the late summer.—Wasp.

HOME LIFE
AT THE WHITE HOUSE

It seems that President Roosevelt takes as kindly to outdoor life as if he were a sturdy native son of the Golden West. He is setting a fashion in Washington for all fresco breakfasts and the fad is gaining ground rapidly. It has been adopted by the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Morton, Senator and Mrs. Elkins, Senator and Mrs. Depew, and Mrs. Leiter, mother of Lady Curzon, who utilizes the famous Indian rose garden of her Dupont Circle residence for the outdoor meal. Every member of the Roosevelt family who has advanced beyond the nursery is present at the al fresco breakfasts which are served on the south portico of the White House. Uninvited guests at the meal are the birds that flit around and feast between their "vocal numbers" from the crumbs thrown them. The service is thoroughly homelike and characteristic of the head of the family. The bill of fare at the White House breakfasts on the portico is simple. The president likes a salad of water cress, freshly picked, and served with French dressing. He is also partial to graham bread, good, fresh butter, and enjoys a pot of coffee, hot and strong. The piece de resistance of the meal is a Potomac shad, broiled and brought on with a little of the roe. Invitations to these meals are too great a compliment to be refused, and they are as largely sought as are bids to the 5 o'clock tea, served also on the south porch, when Mrs. Roosevelt and her daughters each welcome their own coterie.—Wasp.

HIS
ATTRIBUTES

It is not often that a man combines the qualities of entertainer and lecturer. Mr. Jerome B. Landfield of the University of California, whose lectures on "Russia in Literature and Art," filled the Home Club to overflowing last winter, is a celebrated host. "Jerry," as he is fondly called, is much courted. He entertained Sir Henry Tichborne, the simonpure heir in the famous English lawsuit some years ago, at a luncheon out at the Claremont Country Club. Another distinguished foreigner was Jeremiah Lynch, of Percy Hall, Eng-

land. I hear that the visitors were loud in their praises of the Piedmont clubhouse.—Wasp.

THE
COST

The Waldorf-Astoria has 300 permanent tenants, who pay from \$1,000 to \$30,000 a year for their rooms—the former price for small inside rooms, the latter for suites of fifteen rooms. Some of these suites have private entrances. There are ten families in the Waldorf-Astoria who pay \$15,000 a year for the corner suites of from eight to twelve rooms, fifteen who pay \$10,000 a year, twenty-five or more who pay between \$5,000 and \$10,000 a year, and thirty or more who pay between \$2,500 and \$5,000, while about 200 pay from \$1,000 to \$2,500 per year. The latter are mostly bachelors, who are located on the thirtieth and fourteenth floors. These prices do not include meals, but simply the rooms, with light, heat, and attendance. Yet, with this and other expensive hotels, the business in New York does not seem to be overdone—nor does it seem that when numerous new ones are completed there will be lack of patronage.—Argonaut.

ROYAL
WEDDING

The Berlin entertainments in celebration of the wedding of Crown Prince Frederick William and the Duchess Cecilia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, which takes place on June 6th, will last four days, beginning to-day (Saturday). The duchess will be received at the Brandenburg Gate by the chief burgomaster and the city fathers and by one hundred young women, who will be dressed alike in Gretchen costumes, with their hair in braids down the back. Behind the crown prince and his bride will ride the deputations from trades and occupations, according to immemorial custom. The Emperor has commanded that this entrance, which will be that this entrance into the city, which will be the only public celebration, shall be simple, and, if possible, beautiful with eighty thousand garlands of artificial roses. The chapel of the palace where the wedding will take place holds only about three hundred persons, but there will be a service at the cathedral on Sunday and a dinner, at which the Hohenzollern and Mecklenburg-Schwerin families and the visiting princes, of whom there are fifty or sixty, will be present. There are so many princes coming, each of whom must be treated ceremoniously, that the imperial court marshal's office is perplexed over questions of princely precedence. The ambassadors probably will be invited to only one of two functions, so as to avoid placing them below members of small German houses. Seats and windows along Unter den Linden have been selling for from \$7.50 for the former to \$125 for the latter. Except for the numerous court equipages and uniforms which will be seen in the streets and the princes going and coming from every hotel, there will not be anything for the public to see, as the festivities will be private, and only members of royal families, ambassadors, and a few other important personages and government officials will take part in them.—Crown Prince.

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